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10-quart Dish Pans	14c
Polished Iron Frying Pans	10c
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FAIRBANKS' LAUNDRY SOAP, per bar	3c
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A lovely square-shape Under glaze Decorated Dinner, Breakfast and Tea Set of 112 pieces; this is a good and durable set of dishes and well worth $20.00, Reduced to $10.00

56-piece square-shape Decorated Tea Sets, in blue, brown and pink, worth $6.00. Reduced to $2.67 per set

$2,000 worth of Haviland & Co.'s Decorated China at less than the cost of plain white ware.

Half-Gallon Colored Glass Water Pitchers, worth 65c, Reduced to 17c each

Colored Glass Water Sets, with Brass Tray, complete... Reduced to 50c set

Large-Size Crystal Glass Water Bottles, worth 50c.. Reduced to 15c each

Beautiful Persian Hand-Painted Gold-Cloved Parlor Vase Lamp, with Venetian Colored Glass Globes, worth $7.00, Reduced to $2.00

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A beautiful Bamboo Floor Easel, Reduced to $1.17 each

4 1-2 Foot Ebony Floor Easels, Reduced to 67c each

Large-Size Steel Engravings, with beautiful antique oak frames, Reduced to 84c each

A Lovely Oil Painting, in heavy 7-inch deep gold frame; this is really an artistic painting and is sold by the art stores at ten times the amount we get for it this week..... $3.84 each

Beautiful Center Tables, in antique oak or cherry finish, with brass chains..... Reduced to 40c each

Full-Size Mahogany Finish Carpet-Covered Ladies' Rocking Chairs, Reduced to 77c each

Large-Size Silk Plush Albums, Reduced to 67c each

Silk Plush Photograph Frames, cabinet size..... Reduced to 17c each

Good Strong Willow Nursery Chairs, Reduced to 67c each

Doll Buggies..... Reduced to 17c each

Boys' iron-axle Express Wagons, bed 27 inches long.. Reduced to 67c each

Large-Size Square Shape Brass Bird Cages..... Reduced to 67c each

Splendid 6-Ball Croquet Sets, put up in strong wood box, Reduced to 67c set

Tack Hammers..... Reduced to 4c each

Full size Nail Hammers, Reduced to 8c each

Full Size Hatchets.. Reduced to 14c each

Large-size 2-stitch Brooms, worth 25c..... Reduced to 5c each

Turkey Feather Dusters, Reduced to 5c each

Lemon Squeezers.... Reduced to 8c each

Brass Photograph Frames, Reduced to 10c each

Rolling Pins, revolving handles, Reduced to 5c each

Large-size Market Baskets, Reduced to 8c each

Good Silver-Plated Teaspoons, Reduced to 25c per set

Tablespoons, same as above, Reduced to 50c set

Forks, same as above, Reduced to 50c set

Large-size Chased Covered Butter Dish, warranted triple-plate, Reduced to $1.00 each

Beautiful Cake or Fruit Basket, warranted Triple-plate, Reduced to $1.34 each

Children's Solid Gold Rings, Reduced to 67c each

Ladies' Vest Chains, rolled plate, Reduced to 67c each

Gent's Rolled Plate Watch Chains, Reduced to 67c each

Remember, we allow you a discount of 1-3 from our regular prices, marked in plain figures, and we will give One Thousand Dollars to any person who can prove that a single article has been marked up for this sale.

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Seek the Only McNichols.

"Mary," says Dan, "it's two years and more
Since first we learned to love so well,
Two years since to McNichols' store
We went our family needs to tell;
Don't be afraid, my girl, to speak,
I know you think we need new fixtures,
New beauties paid for by the week,
Such as lace curtains, carpets, pictures.

"I bless the day you made me go,
I thought within myself we'd rue it;
No matter if the goods were low
I couldn't see how we could do it.
My life has since been one of ease;
No heavy debts, all square and pleasant.
So now I'll take you where you please
And make our pretty house a present."

"Dear Dan," said Mary, "you're a 'brick,'
You've struck my very utmost wishes,
That old stove kind of makes me sick
And now we need some painted dishes;
And everything so nice and cheap;
That old ice-chest won't keep a pickle,
I dream of new ones when I sleep,
And think of our good friend McNichols.

We never care to pack and swarm,
To look for mountains, bugs and lichen;
I'd much prefer to stay at home
And fit up new from hall to kitchen.
Our neighbors used to wonder how
We managed on your slender wages,
But every one knows quite well now,
For Mac has got them on his pages."

That is true, and the lesson once learned of how to beautify home at so small an expense is one they can never forget who have been down Market street to this palace of lovely household goods. What a boon this installment has been to people of refined tastes who have but little ready money. 9

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500 dozen Children's Full Regular Made Cotton Hose, sizes 5 to 8½, 10c; regular price, 20c and 25c.

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At 15c—A large Round Tray, 15c; worth 20c.
At 36c—6-foot Step Ladder; hard wood.
At 48c—An Adjustable Window Screen.

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EMPHATICALLY NO.

GLADSTONE HAS NOT CONFESSED THE FAILURE OF HOME RULE.

The Ex-Premier's Authorized Denial—Efforts of the Liberal Leader to Win Over Society—Conflicting Reports About the German Emperor—Boulanger and Alsace-Lorraine — Dillon's Trial—Raided by Moonlighters—Foreign News.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, May 10.—Mr. Gladstone authorizes me to contradict the report telegraphed to the New York *Herald*, that he confessed the failure of home rule absolutely. It has not a shadow of foundation. Even his greatest enemy here would hardly allege that he held one kind of language in public and another in private. One of the distinguishing characteristics which place him outside of the sympathy of what is called society, is his earnestness. Mr. Gladstone has been assiduously attending social gatherings this season, and while an interesting talker on a great variety of subjects, generally becomes the center of a little group, to whom he expresses the conviction that sooner or later the policy of conciliation towards Ireland is certain to prevail. As to the progress made by the cause since the disastrous election of 1886 Mr. Gladstone does not admit that there can be any difference of opinion, taking the only sure guide, the net result of the bye elections, and leaving out of consideration the conversion of three or four members of Parliament, formerly classed as Unionists. While great progress has been accomplished with the mass of electors, attempts are being made to convert even fashionable society. Mrs. Gladstone is indefatigable in attending meetings in the furtherance of interest in the newly formed association called the Woman's Liberal Federation, held in the ancestral homes of enthusiasts like Lord Ripon, where the voice of the politician was never probably heard before. If anyone doubts how sanguine a man of Mr. Gladstone's age can be, he has only to read his address to the nonconformist ministers yesterday. He may well have felt inspirited by the reception accorded him by the enormous gathering of men, every one of whom is a center of influence somewhere in the country. The *Times* so-day fastens upon Mr. Gladstone's admission that the struggle may be a long one, but the admission only meant that he is thoroughly convinced there is nothing to expect from the present Parliament. But he is more and more determined, since, for all practical purposes, the Liberal Unionists are not to be distinguished from the Tories, to show no quarter henceforth to Hartington. It was observed at yesterday's meeting when Guinness Rogers declared that he hoped to see the reunion of Liberals with the omission of those whose Toryism on the Irish question had been detected and exposed, that Gladstone repeatedly struck the floor with his white walking-stick which the veteran carried so jauntily as he entered the hall. The address bore signatures of no fewer than 3,730 preachers. A few conspicuous names were absent, but there is no question that the signatories faithfully represent the opinion of the dissenters.

AN INTERNATIONAL LAW POINT.

An interesting point of international law was definitely set at rest yesterday by the decision of the Lord Chief Justice of England. It arose out of the case of Mrs. Woodhall, whose extradition was demanded by the United States on a charge of forgery. Mrs. Woodhall applied for a writ of habeas corpus on the ground that there was no guarantee that she would not be tried for some other offense than the one on which the extradition was asked, such guarantee being required by the English law before the surrender of a prisoner. The Judge decided that the necessary provision was made by the law of the United States. He said no doubt the Ashburton treaty did not contain an express provision, but the Supreme Court at Washington, by a decision in the year 1860, had decided that such provision was to be read into the treaty.

MAHLON SANDS.

Inquest Held Over the Remains of the Unfortunate American.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, May 10.—The remains of Mr. Mahlon Sands will be embarked on Saturday on board the Umbria for New York in charge of his brother, Mr. Henry Sands. Yesterday afternoon the Deputy Corner for Westminster held an inquiry at Mr. Sands' residence. Police Constable Carew of the A Division said: "I saw the deceased on horseback coming along Rotten Row at a canter. The horse no sooner reached the hard roadway than it slipped and threw its rider with great force on his head. There was nothing to frighten the horse, and the traffic was nearly over. The animal ran away, but was eventually stopped." Mr. Sands was still alive when he (the above mentioned witness) and another Constable got him to the hospital. It was a paved and not a granite crossing where the horse fell. Inspector of Police Ellison described the crossing, and said that there had never been a similar accident there before. Arthur Ward, the house Surgeon at St. George's Hospital, deposed that Mr. Sands died at 8 o'clock in the evening from the effects of a fracture of the base of the skull. He lived an hour and a half after admission to the hospital. A verdict of accidental death was returned by the Coroner's jury.

ALICE WOODHALL TO BE EXTRADITED.

The Court of Queen's Bench has refused to grant a writ of habeas corpus in the case of Alice Woodhall, who is charged with having swindled John Gill of New York, out of a large sum of money and who was recently committed to stand trial in America. The woman will therefore be extradited.

THE GERMAN EMPEROR.

Conflicting Reports as to His Real Condition —Alarming Rumors.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, May 10.—Public and private accounts of the German Emperor's condition strangely differ. Advices to the foreign office here say that the Emperor is absolutely incapable of transacting business, and that he is delirious nearly all the time. His situation is very similar to that of President Garfield when the latter was suffering pyæmia. President Garfield was nearly a month in dying after his mind gave way.

THE EMPEROR IN GOOD SPIRITS.

BERLIN, May 10, 9 a. m.—Emperor Frederick passed a good night. He is without fever and takes ample nourishment. He is in good spirits. His Majesty will rise at 11 o'clock and lie on the sofa in the study. The canula lies comfortably.

SLOWLY GAINING STRENGTH.

LONDON, May 10.—The *Lancet* says that the Emperor of Germany is slowly gaining strength. It says the recent sudden increase in the throat case was not accompanied by fever, and that the discharge of pus is now decreasing.

England.

GLADSTONE'S HOME RULE SPEECH.

LONDON, May 10.—An address signed by 3,730 dissenting ministers was presented to Mr. Gladstone yesterday, expressing their sympathy with him in his efforts to reconcile England and Ireland. In reply to the address, Mr. Gladstone said that during the present session the Parnellites, despite the pressing needs of Ireland, had refrained from urging their claims and had assisted the Government to expedite business. Whether or not Parliament was employed at this or that given time in discussing Ireland, it was Ireland alone that truly held the key to legislation. The Government knew that the nation was with home rule and therefore guided the affairs of Parliament so as to delay the time when a Minister would be in power, pledged to propose home rule for Ireland. The majority in the House of Commons thought they could go on for five years. They put this against his life as an old man, but the life of an old or young man would not affect the final settlement. [Cheers.]

Justice would be done in Ireland. Ere long the national sentiment would find means to assert itself. The Tories plumed themselves upon being the defenders of law and order. Instead of maintaining order the Government had promoted murderous breaches of the law. Mr. Parnell was as much devoted to the maintenance of law and order as any one. Neither he nor Mr. Parnell vindicated the plan of campaign. The Government's conduct had created the plan of campaign by making the law odious to the people. The object of the Government seemed to be to insult, exasperate and degrade the Irish. As soon as the terrible facts regarding the suffering in Ireland were brought home to the upright minds of the people of England, they would unite to redress the sad errors of the past. [Cheers.]

PARNELL'S FOLLOWERS OFFENDED.

The *Standard* says that Mr. Parnell's disavowal of the plan of campaign has offended a section of his followers.

THE SUGAR BOUNTY CONFERENCE.

The sugar bounty conferrence has concluded its deliberations and will meet on Friday next to sign the protocol.

EARL SPENCER'S SPEECH.

Earl Spencer, in a speech at Guildford, last night, said he did not know anyone who could take exception to Mr. Parnell's programme. The only course open was to subscribe to its sentiments.

MOVING TOO SLOW.

The *Standard* commenting on the War Secretary's reply to the parliamentary delegation yesterday, admits the soundness of his intentions, but complains strongly that he does not move fast enough. The same language, it says, was used years ago, but little came of it. The *Daily News* says it is glad the responsibility has been shifted from Parliament to the administrative departments. It approves the proposed extended use of the auxiliary forces.

THE TIMES ON STANHOPE.

The *Times* says: "Mr. Stanhope was too airy and optimistic at a moment when our most serious deficiencies are unfortunately of a kind which cannot be rapidly supplied, whatever efforts may be made."

THE CHESTER MEETING.

At the Chester meeting to-day the race for the Dee Stakes was won by Lord Calthorpe's chestnut colt, Toscano. Lord Bradford's brown colt, Merry Andrew, was second, and the Duke of Westminster's bay colt, Dornoch, third. There were six starters. The last betting was: 5 to 1 against Toscano, 6 to 1 against Merry Andrew, and 7 to 1 against Dornoch. The race for the great Cheshire Handicap stakes was won by Mr. Sassoon's 5-year-old bay horse, Theodore. Mr. C. J. Merry's 5-year-old chestnut horse, Deuce of Clubs, was second, and Sir F. Johnsone's 5-year-old bay horse, Candelmais, third. There were six starters. The betting before the start was 9 to 4 against Theodore, 7 to 1 against Deuce of Clubs, and 7 to 4 against Candelmais. The race for the Ormonde 2-year-old plate was won by Lord Cholmondely's bay colt, Screech Owl, with the Duke of Portland's bay filly, The Apple, second, and Mr. Callerton's bay filly, Barbecan, third. There were six starters. The betting was 7 to 1 against Screech Owl; 3 to 2 against The Apple and 7 to 1 against Barbecan.

Ireland.

MR. DILLON'S TRIAL.

DUBLIN, May 10.—The trial of Mr. Dillon under the crimes act was begun at Tullyvalin yesterday. Mr. Dillon is defended by Mr. Harrington. Mr. Blunt was present.

RAIDED BY MOONLIGHTERS.

The tenants of the Scott and other estates in the Parish of Kildysart, County Clare, have adopted the plan of campaign. Moonlighters have raided four farms in the same parish, because the occupants had paid their rents. They destroyed property and injured the tenants.

THE IRISH BISHOPS.

LONDON, May 10.—A dispatch from Rome to the *Chronicle* says the Irish Bishops have notified the Vatican of their adhesion to the Papal rescript.

France.

HOSTILE TO ALL RESTORATION.

PARIS, May 10.—M. Floquet yesterday opened the exhibition of a replica of the Bastile. In a speech he said nobody would ever be strong enough to re-establish in free France the prison which she had demolished. "We are hostile," he said, "to all restorations. We wish to raise nothing that our forefathers laid low. They overthrew the ancient idols of fifteen centuries. Nobody wishes to pay reverence to idols of fifteen days' standing."

BOULANGER AND COLONIAL ADVENTURES.

Gen. Boulanger in his book "On the German invasion" strongly condemns colonial adventures and says: "As long as Alsace-Lorraine is not restored to us we have no right to divide our forces, expecially when the advantages aimed at are not quite clear."

INSPECTING FORTS.

M. De Freycinet, the Minister of War, accompanied by Gen. Fevrier and two other Generals, inspected the forts around Toulon yesterday. It is expected they will visit other points on the Eastern frontier.

Italy.

THE MEXICAN PILGRIMS.

LONDON, May 10.—The steamer Bolivia, which left New York April 16 with a party of Mexican pilgrims on board bound for Rome, arrived at Naples May 7.

Egypt.

DEFEATED BY REBELS.

SUAKIM, May 10.—Advices from Berber say that the rebels in the Beninguild district have defeated, after severe fighting, the forces of the Pasha of Mequinez. The Pasha was among the killed.

The Dominion.

LORD LANSDOWNE'S FAREWELL TOUR.

KINGSTON, Ontario, May 10.—Lord and Lady Lansdowne and suite yesterday arrived from Toronto on a farewell visit. They inspected the Royal Military College and the Queen's University.

Turkey.

THE SUEZ MASTER SETTLED.

LONDON, May 10.—The Turkish Cabinet has approved the Anglo-French-Suez Convention. It is stated that the Porte abandons its claim to preside over the International Commission and that England recognizes Turkey's right to use the Suez Canal for the transportation of troops to Arabia.

FUNERAL OF FRANK J. DONOVAN.

The Remains of a Well-Known Citizen Laid to Rest To-Day.

The funeral of the late Frank J. Donovan occurred this afternoon from St. Alphonsus' (Rock) Church, Grand and Finney avenues, at 2:30 o'clock. The church was filled with friends of the dead lawyer, and the Southern Historical Society and the Knights of St. Patrick occupied seats reserved for them. The interment was in Calvary Cemetery. Mr. Donovan died at the residence of Henry Munster in Brighton, England, Tuesday morning, April 24. He had gone abroad for his health. On the morning of Thursday, April 26, requiem mass was offered for him in St. Bridget's church in this city, and a mass said over the body by Canon Moore at the Catholic Church in Brighton. The funeral took place from his late residence, No. 3536 Page avenue, to the Rock Church, where the funeral service was performed by Father Hoeffer, S. J., and from there to Calvary. The remains were attended by the Knights of St. Patrick, the Marquette Club, the Calvary Cemetery Board and the Southern Historical Society. The relatives of the deceased met at the house on Page avenue and attended the casket from there to the cemetery. The heavy metallic casket was literally buried under the banks of floral tributes sent by the friends and relatives. In accordance with an oft-repeated remark of Mr. Donovan, all of his little nephews and nieces attended the funeral in a body. "Uncle Frank" having always been a great favorite with the children, as well as with his older friends. The pall bearers who officiated were A. J. F. Garesche, P. P. Connor, F. F. Kelcher, Frank Gaiennie, M. J. Murphy, Jno. B. Thompson, O. W. Mysenberg, Jas. Boyce, Alf Tatum, E. T. Farish, Dan Bardley, Will Kennett, Jno. H. Overall and John Dryden. Mr. Donovan had been suffering from a complicated case of Bright's disease for the past six years, and he had made the trip once before in 1881. Being much benefited, he returned last June to Brighton with his wife and child, and such a fatal termination to his illness was not expected. Mr. Frank J. Donovan was the son of Daniel H. Donovan and was born in this city in 1846. He received his education at the St. Louis University and then studied law in the office of John M. Krum for two years. In 1868 he entered the Law Department of Harvard College, where he graduated in 1868. On returning to this city he entered into the practice of law with a fellow student, Mr. Ed Tittman, a brother to Eugene Tittman, the present Public Administrator. He subsequently formed a partnership with Mr. Conroy, under the firm name of Donovan & Conroy. In 1884 he married Miss Virginia Lynch, a daughter of Dr. Henry Lynch. He was a Knight of St. Patrick and the founder of the Marquette Club.

"AN AWFUL BLUNDER."

Deputy Al Collins Arranges a Wedding and Defeats a Warrant's Purpose.

Louis Dix, residing at No. 2226 Prairie avenue, was arrested last evening on a warrant charging him with seducing Henrietta Ferguson, who lives with her parents at No. 4132 Gano avenue. The warrant was secured late yesterday afternoon by the girl's sister, Kate Ferguson, who stated that Dix was about to be married to another girl. The ceremony was to be performed last evening, and she wanted to secure his arrest in time to prevent the marriage, as he had promised to marry her sister, who now had a child by him. She said her sister was not 17 years of age and when she heard that Dix was about to be married to another, the shock prostrated her and she was now unable to leave her bed.

The warrant was issued and placed in the hands of Deputy Sheriff Al Collins for service. He found that Dix had taken out a license to marry Miss Lucy R. Cleaver of No. 4347 Prairie avenue. Dix could not be found at his house, so the Deputy watched the residence of the intended bride. The young man had heard the Sheriff was after him with a warrant and sent a messenger boy to the girl's house with a note for her to meet him at Broadway and Grand avenue. She went and Collins followed her, and in that manner secured his prisoner. Dix had made all preparations for the wedding and begged to be permitted to marry the girl. The Deputy finally consented and accompanied him to the residence of the Rev. W. T. Neff, 4506 Blair avenue, where the ceremony was performed. Then Dix was taken to jail while his newly made wife returned to her home.

The action of Deputy Sheriff Collins in permitting the man to get married, was rather strange as it diverted the very object for which the warrant was taken out. Under the law the Ferguson girl had a prior claim on Dix, but by his getting married she can not possibly be married to him now. Nor can he escape punishment now by marriage, but he will have to go to trial and if convicted suffer the consequences. Mr. Dierkes, the Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, was asked this morning if the action of Collins was not irregular.

"Well, I should say so," he replied; "in fact, nothing could be more irregular. I issued the warrant and ordered its immediate service for the express purpose of preventing the marriage. I even gave the sister a note to Police Captain Fruchte requesting him to have his men arrest Dix immediately, and that as the fellow was charged with a felony they would need no warrant. I supposed the police had arrested him. Now the Ferguson girl cannot possibly legitimatize the child. What caused Mr. Collins to act as he did I cannot imagine, but I suppose they worked on his sympathies. It is an awful blunder, though."

AN EXCITING TIME

At a Lodge Meeting Held at Lightstone's Hall Recently.

At a meeting on Sunday night of Rodef Sholens Lodge, Order of B'nith Abraham, at Lightstone's Hall, an exciting time was had. B. Frank is the Deputy Grand Master of St. Louis, and it is understood that some remarks derogatory to the order were made by a critical member present, advising the members to secede and join the Knights of the Golden Rule, there being over $400 in the treasury for furthering the transfer. A number of members agreed to this proposition and withdrew on Sunday evening, drawing their proportion of the money in the treasury at the same time. This aroused the indignation of Mr. Frank, who exclaimed that were this line of conduct persisted in, the Grand Lodge would be notified and could prosecute seceding members. A general hubbub ensued, the refractory and resigning members were ejected from the hall and the declaration made that the lodge had resolved not to disband. It is claimed that there still remain nearly seventy members faithful to the order.

TERRIBLE DOMESTIC TRAGEDY.

Charles Turner Kills His Wife and Then Commits Suicide.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 10.—Shortly before 11 o'clock this morning Charles Turner, a German grocery man living at 633 East Ohio street, Allegheny City, shot his wife in the back and then shot himself in the head. Death was instantaneous in both cases. The cause of the tragedy was jealousy, which from all that can be learned was unfounded. Turner had a violent temper and frequently quarreled with his wife, who, the neighbors say, was of a gentle disposition. No one was present when the shooting took place. A daughter of the couple was in an adjoining room and heard her father upbraiding her mother. A few minutes later she was startled by the report of a pistol. She ran out just in time to see her mother fall and her father place the revolver to his own head and fire. He fell to the ground and before she reached their side both were dead.

A Threatened Flood.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

BONHAM, Tex., May 10.—Advices from Red River this morning state that the river is rising at the rate of about one foot an hour, and that a destructive overflow is inevitable if the rise continues much longer. The recent flood by the river, which ruined many farms and one crops, has hardly subsided, and the planters along the river are in great uneasiness though he committed suicide.

AT SEDALIA

THE DEMOCRATS WILL ARRANGE THE STATE CAMPAIGN NEXT WEEK.

Friends and Opponents of the Candidates Will Be On Hand to Make Converts Among the Country Democrats—The Central Committee Reconsiders the Call for Primaries—Meeting of the Vest Club—Political Notes.

The gathering of Democratic politicians at Sedalia next week will be the first opportunity of the campaign to compare notes from all parts of the State. The Vest Club of this city will send up a delegation of twenty-five members. The Hendricks Club will probably be represented by a detachment, while the several candidates for the first place on the August ticket will go attended by their friends and retainers. Ed Butler is getting up a little party to take in the convention. Mr. Wm. H. Swift, who has opposed Mayor Francis' candidacy from the outset, will go to Sedalia to disseminate his views and charges against the Mayor's Democracy among the true-blue Democrats of the interior. It is reported that some of His Honor's political opponents propose to take to Sedalia a list of all the Republicans now in offices where the heads of the departments are mayoral appointees.

All the fall candidates will be on the ground, and considerable swapping and combining may be expected. Several combinations have already been discussed and will either be consummated or declared entirely off during the Sedalia gathering. It is already reported that Judge Burgess and Mayor Francis will work together at Sedalia and endeavor to bring their supporters to co-operate. Gov. Morehouse's friends are confident that his candidacy will receive a big boom at the Sedalia Convention. Congressman Glover and Col. Claiborne will collect their forces about them at the grand gathering and inaugurate their campaign in some parts of the State which have not been visited by the candidates. The State campaign will occupy more attention at Sedalia next week than the selection of national delegates for which the Democrats will be called together.

Secretary John P. Sebree of the State Democratic Committee has sent out notices to delegates reading as follows:

"The St. Louis & San Francisco, Missouri Pacific, Chicago & Alton, Wabash Western, Kansas City, Fort Scott & Gulf, and St. Louis, Keokuk & Northwestern Railroad Cos. will make a rate of one fare and a third for delegates to the Democratic Convention to be held at Sedalia on the 17th inst.

"Any delegate desiring to avail himself of this reduced rate will be required to pay full fare to the convention, taking the receipt of the railroad agent from whom the ticket is purchased, and to procure from the proper officer of the convention a certificate that he has been in attendance at the convention, upon the presentation of which he will be entitled to a return ticket for one-third fare."

Committee Meetings.

The Citizens' Executive Committee meets this afternoon at Secretary Ellerbe's office, No. 506 Olive street, to audit some bills which have been rendered for National Convention arrangements. No business of any greater importance will be transacted at the meeting.

Among the callers at the Secretary's office to-day came a gentleman who said he wanted a list of all the Democratic organizations in the country, and presumed that he could obtain it at the Secretary's office. He retired without securing the list, conceding after some talk that the compilation of such a list would be no small undertaking.

The Committee on Programme and Entertainment will hold another meeting this evening to further consider estimates and plans for the decoration of Convention Hall. They have been received from decorators and artists in Chicago, Cincinnati and New York. The committee will award the contract subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

The Vest Club.

The Vest Democratic Club at its meeting last evening decided to locate at No. 107 North Sixth street. R. D. Lancaster proposed inviting the Hendricks Club to join in the reception to be tendered to Senator Vest at the club rooms during the National Convention, but the motion was tabled. At the opening of the club headquarters Judge J. E. McKeighan and D. H. McAdam will be the speakers. The following gentlemen were elected to membership last evening: A. W. Long, E. C. Tittmann, Bryan Obear, Thomas Kelly, F. M. Estes, John B. Clements, Joseph H. Finks, Sam Byrnes of Potosi and Hon. Frank F. Green of Hillsboro. National Committeeman Prather stated for Senator Vest that the Senator would not be a candidate for election as delegate-at-large.

Mass-Meetings or Primaries.

At the meeting of the Democratic City Committee last evening it was decided to reconsider the call for primaries on Monday and to allow each committeeman to designate whether delegates to Sedalia shall be selected by primary election or by mass-meeting. Jury Commissioner James L. Carlisle was selected to act for the Twenty-seventh Ward during the illness of Committeeman Cleary. Another meeting will be held next Saturday evening when the committeemen will be called upon to report how they have decided to elect delegates.

A Senatorial Contest.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

VANDALIA, Mo., May 10.—Edward C. Kennen of Laddonia to-day announced himself as a Democratic candidate for the State Senate from this, the Eleventh Senatorial District. Col. Green Clay of Mexico is also in the race for the office and a warm fight is expected as Kennen is an out-spoken Vest man and Col. Clay is thought to be against him.

Political Notes.

The Tenth Ward Democratic League will meet this evening.

President Allen of the Council occupied the Mayor's office again to-day.

The California delegation to the National Democratic Convention has been assigned to quarters at the Laclede Hotel.

TEXAS' NEW CAPITOL.

The Various Departments Move Into It To-Day—Dedication Next Wednesday.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

AUSTIN, Tex., May 10.—The State took possession of the new Capitol to-day and State Departments moved into it this morning. The Legislature will move in this afternoon. Next Wednesday the building will be dedicated.

The Building Accepted.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 10.—The Secretary of the Capitol Board of Texas telegraphed Mr. John V. Farwell to-day that the State Board has accepted the capitol built by the Farwell syndicate and that the dedication will take place on Wednesday next. To this ceremony the Presidents of the United States and Mexico and all the Governors of the States have been invited. It is estimated that over 60,000 visitors will be there on this occasion. The acceptance of the building by the State gives the Farwell syndicate possession of 3,000,000 acres of land in the Panhandle of Texas suitable for agricultural purposes. There is now one railroad running forty-five miles through this tract, and three others are projected and surveyed over it.

A Supposed Suicide.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., May 10.—The dead body of Andrew Norling, a visitor from Saw Tooth, Idaho, was found in the woods about a half mile from this city to-day in a horribly decomposed state, which showed he had been dead several days. Norling was stopping at the same lodging-house at which the horrible mysterious murder was committed about a week ago, and disappeared from the place two days afterwards. His throat was cut and a razor-case was found near the body. It is

WAITING FOR THE MANDATE.

Brewers Take No Action To-Day—Next Sunday Will Probably Be "Open."

The Brewers' Association Executive Committee is holding its regular meeting this afternoon, but it is extremely improbable that any action will be taken with regard to the Sunday law. Secretary Philip Stock said this morning: "There can be no action taken until Judge Valliant moves in the matter, and the Police Board follows with an order to the Chief. It is not known yet just what the law is, and as there is no intention of violating it, any action taken by the brewers this early would be premature. I do not even know that any business of consequence will come up for discussion to-day."

THE OLD SABBATH LAW.

Joseph G. Lodge, speaking of the Sunday law question this morning, said:

"I don't think either the church people or saloon men will endeavor to enforce the old Sabbath law and close everything. The church people realize that moderation is the best thing for them, and the saloon men and brewers fear that if they attempt to close everything else it will probably result in prohibition being submitted by the Legislature to the people of the State, and during the present agitation it might carry and that would knock them clean out. I think they will submit quietly and that there will be no trouble. I have been looking up these old blue laws and have arrived at the conclusion that they do not cover theatrical performances or base ball games, or amusements of that class. The 'Sabbath breaking' section prohibits all unnecessary labor, or the hunting or shooting of game on Sunday. Now a man could go fishing on Sunday without violating the law. Hunting was prohibited by the statute because the reports of the gun sometimes disturbed religious congregations at worship. This statute evidently only prohibits manual labor, such as plowing, working on the streets or in foundries, etc. If this were not the case there would be no necessity for the section on 'selling goods on Sunday,' which prohibits the sale on Sunday of any goods except medicine and articles of necessity. Now if the other section meant all kinds of labor, men who were at work selling goods would be violating it, and there would be no need of the other section. Then there is a special section on 'horse racing on Sunday.' It prohibits 'horse racing, cock-fighting or playing at cards or games or any kind' on the Sabbath. That clause 'playing at cards or games of any kind' does not cover base ball. It clearly covers merely games of cards, keno, faro or other gambling games and not outdoor amusements. If it were intended to prohibit base ball or theatrical performances they would be mentioned in that section. Even dog-fighting or prize-fighting are not covered by the clause. The only way theatrical performances or base ball games could be brought in would be to claim the people who participated were at their regular work or avocation, and were, therefore, laboring on Sunday and violating the Sabbath-breaking section. But as I have stated that section covers merely manual labor and not work of any other character, and these things do not come within its pale. Judge Noonan's decision permitting base ball is unquestionably sound, and the Superior Court of New York has rendered a similar decision. If the performances of games were near a church and interfered with the worship of the congregation the players might be punished for disturbing a congregation at worship. That is the only way they could be reached."

WINTER WHEAT.

The Monthly Report of the Department of Agriculture.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—The report of the Department of Agriculture says: Low temperature and deficient rainfall, with drying winds and some frosts, have reduced the condition of winter wheat in the Central States. It has also been cool on the Atlantic coast and not favorable to improvement, and yet the plant has nearly held its own in this region. On the Pacific coast only a medium development is reported. As to the States the changes are slight, several averages being the same as last month. Pennsylvania shows a decline of 4 points; New York, 16; Ohio, 12; Michigan, 5; Indiana, 6; Illinois, 7; Missouri, 2; Kansas, 3. The general average is reduced 9 points, from 82 to 73. Last year condition was reduced from 88.1 in April to 85.8 in May. The State averages of winter wheat in the principal States are as follows: New York, 76; Pennsylvania, 87; Virginia, 90; Ohio, 56; Michigan, 64; Indiana, 69; Illinois, 57; Missouri, 80; Kansas, 73.

Winter rye remains very nearly as in April, the average being 92.9 instead of 93.5. The condition of winter barley is 88.3, promising a medium average crop.

Spring plowing is not quite so well advanced as usual. It is relatively later in the Northern States of the Atlantic Coast, slightly later than usual in the Middle States and scarcely up to a full average in the South. Its progress is an average in the Ohio Valley, but late in the Northwest, especially in Dakota.

Cotton planting is delayed by excess of moisture in February and low temperature in March, the soil not being in condition for early planting. The delay was greatest in Texas and Louisiana, but in Arkansas, Tennessee and North Carolina from 4 to 6 per cent less than usual was planted on the 1st of May. In States on the coast, from South Carolina to Mississippi, planting is nearly up to its average advancement.

An investigation of the rate of wages of agricultural laborers show that no material change has occurred since the last previous inquiry in May, 1885. There is a slight increase in New England, in the Northern tier of States from Michigan westward, and in some of the Southern States. There is no appreciable change in the Central States. The next monthly report will give rates by States.

A CLEVER RASCAL.

E. A. Goodman Arrested for Horse Stealing and Forgery.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

BONHAM, Tex., May 10.—Last Saturday a young man by the name of E. A. Goodman, who has been living six miles east of here with Ira Chandler, borrowed a horse from Chandler to come to this city to see his mother. While here he sold the horse, and returning home Monday he informed Chandler that the horse had gotten away from him. He came back to the city Tuesday and forged an order for $20 and gave a mortgage on a crop he represented as his, for which Perry Williamson let him have a horse. Yesterday Williamson ascertained that the order was a forgery and that a mortgage was given on Chandler's crop, Goodman having none of his own. Officers were immediately summoned and began search for Goodman. He was overhauled about twenty miles north from here, just before he reached the Indian Territory.

FEARFULLY BEATEN.

A Negro and a White Woman Roughly Handled by a Mob.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

COLUMBIA, S. C., May 10.—In the Glassy Mountain section of Greenville County, a negro named Ellis Linden took a white woman to live with him. The white men in the vicinity warned Linden to send the woman away. He refused to do so, and on Thursday night a band of thirty men, among them three brothers of the woman, attacked Linden's house. The negro man and the white woman were dragged out into the woods, their clothing stripped off them, and both were fearfully beaten over the head and body with whips and sticks. When left in the woods Linden was supposed to be dead. He was found alive the next day and the colored people took him to Greenville. Some of the mob were recognized and will be arrested.

A Mormon Romance.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., May 10.—In 1859, John B. Craddock and Miss Mary A. Wilkes were married in Brownwell, Staffordshire, England. In 1864 they became converted to the Mormon faith, came to America and made their way to Salt Lake City, the wife going ahead with a wagon train of emigrant women. When Craddock arrived at Salt Lake he could find no trace of his wife, who, it seems, was kept in captivity several months by a Mormon elder. She finally escaped, and failing to find her husband, returned to England in 1866. Craddock, meanwhile, was informed that his wife was dead and he again married, removing to this city. His first wife, eight months ago, learned of his whereabouts from letters written by Craddock to relatives in England. She came to this city recently, and after talking the matter over, relinquished all claim and left yesterday for Philadelphia, from which place she will sail for her English home.

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ANOTHER CREMATION.

INCINERATION OF MRS. ARTHUR OLSHAUSEN'S REMAINS THIS AFTERNOON.

Funeral Services at the House Without Religious Rites—Addresses by Phillip Gruner and Other Friends—Preparations at the Crematory—The Furnace and Retort Found Perfect After the Strain of Sunday—Advocates of Cremation.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock friends of the late Mrs. Clara L. Olshausen, wife of Arthur Olshausen, assembled at the family residence, 916 Hickory street, to pay their last tribute of respect. Mrs. Olshausen died Tuesday, after a long and painful illness. She was 61 years of age, and had resided in St. Louis for more than forty years. None of the family are members of any religious organization, and the funeral services were conducted in accordance with the wishes of the deceased and the predilections of her family without religious ceremonies of any kind. The friends and family assembled about the casket containing the remains of the dead wife and mother and there listened to addresses in German.

PHILLIP GRUNER,

who had known the deceased for many years, spoke feelingly of her life and virtues, her breadth of mind, advanced views and all that went to make the character of the one who had gone and would not return. Other friends spoke, and a quartette consisting of Otto Hein, John Schoenthaler, Karl Schraubstadter and A. Meyer sang several selections.

When the services were over the family and friends entered carriages and were conveyed to the Missouri Crematory on Sublette avenue, near Arsenal street. The pall-bearers were Phillip Gruner, Geo. H. Stille, C. Th. Uhlman and Theodore Platte.

THE CREMATORY

had been made ready for the incineration, the second in its history and the first to occur directly after the funeral of the deceased. An examination of the furnace and retort after cooling, subsequent to the incineration of Mrs. Terry, showed every part was in perfect condition. There had been no unequal shrinkage, and no defects either in material or construction were apparent. The firing began this morning and was conducted slowly by Rudolph Tessmer, the janitor of the crematory. Tessmer was practically in charge of the furnace on Sunday at the incineration of Mrs. Terry, but he had then the advice of Guiseppi Messa, foreman for the inventors, who was left here by the builder, Geronimi, to see that the incineration was successfully conducted. To-day Tessmer did not have Messa's advice, but had so profited previously that he was able to conduct the incineration alone.

IN THE CHAPEL.

On the arrival of the casket in the chapel it was placed in the bier, and, while the quartette sang, was lowered into the retort chamber. The body was prepared. When all was ready the body was placed upon the crib and rolled into the retort, where the heat was intense. The temperature of 2,200 degrees had been reached without difficulty and was maintained steadily until the body crumbled into ashes and ceased to give off gases. When the furnace had cooled sufficiently to allow the ashes to be withdrawn they were placed in a copper casket and will be buried in the family lot in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

AT THE GATES.

There was quite a large number of persons at the crematory hoping to have an opportunity of witnessing the incineration. The family had been desirous of avoiding this, and had carefully concealed the fact that the remains were to be incinerated from all but intimate friends. An inquiry made at the Health Office by the undertaker when the burial permit was obtained spread the information, and a morning paper published the intention of the family to their great distress. None of the directors of the Crematory Association were notified as in the case of the incineration on Sunday. But all the friends who gathered at the late residence for the funeral services who cared to go were taken to the crematory.

MR. OLSHAUSEN,

husband of the deceased, was associated with the late Albert Todd, Wm. C. Lange and Emile Preetorius in the movement for cremation years ago, when there were few in this country or in Europe to advocate that method of disposing of the dead. His wife believed in cremation, and earnestly requested on several occasions that her body be incinerated after death. All of her family are believers in cremation, her sons are members of the Missouri Crematory Association, and one, Ernest Oshausen, is a director.

A Preacher in Trouble.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

GAINESVILLE, Tex., May 10.—James Vernon, ordained Methodist preacher, was brought here to-day and placed in jail from Healdton, I. T., where he was arrested yesterday by a United States Deputy Marshal upon a capias from Parker County, where he is wanted for cattle stealing.

BANK STATEMENT.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT of the Financial Condition of the GERMAN SAVINGS INSTITUTION in St. Louis, State of Missouri, at the Close of Business on the 30th Day of April, 1888.

RESOURCES.

Loans undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security		$2,084,443 97
Loans and discounts undoubtedly good on real estate security		39,720 50
Overdrafts by solvent customers		9,040 96
United States bonds on hand		
Other bonds and stock at their present cash market price		409,000 00
Due from other banks, good on sight draft		272,937 33
Real estate at present cash market value		19,489 51
Furniture and fixtures		
Checks and other cash items		102,202 97
Bills of national banks and legal tender		
United States notes		194,306 00
Gold coin		140,975 00
Silver coin		1,100 00
Exchange maturing and matured		208,354 25
Total		$3,481,570 49

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 250,000 00
Surplus funds on hand	349,062 98
Undivided declared dividends	128 00
Deposits subject to draft at sight	1,474,599 14
Deposits subject to drafts at given dates	1,227,268 59
Bills payable	
Due other banks and bankers	180,511 79
Expenses now due	
Total	$3,481,570 49

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss.:

We, F. W. Meister, President, and Richard Hospes, Cashier of said bank, and each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

F. W. MEISTER, President.
R. HOSPES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of May, A. D. eighteen hundred and eighty-eight.

[L.S.] Witness my hand and notarial seal hereto affixed, at office, in St. Louis, Mo., the date last aforesaid. [Commissioned and qualified for a term expiring April 17, 1891.]

BENJ. A. SUPPAN, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:

CHAS. F. ORTHWEIN,
A. NEDDERHUT,
WM. KOENIG,
Directors.

THE SPRING RACES

Will Not Be at All Affected by a Refusal of Rates.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 10.—The Central Traffic Association having

EAST ST. LOUIS.

OUR NEIGHBORS MUCH DISTRESSED AT THE BOND DECISION.

It Means Ruinous Taxation for East St. Louis and a Season of Bitter Adversity for the City—What the Bonded Debt Now Is and What Will Have to Be Paid—Objections to the Funding Scheme—Talks With the Auditor and Other Citizens—Other News Across the River.

The decision which practically settles the liability of East St. Louis for its $1,000,000 indebtedness was handed down by the State Supreme Court late yesterday afternoon. The points upon which the decision was rendered are not definitely known but the point upon which the lawyers engaged in the case, suppose the decision was given, is the one on which the United States Supreme Court gave a judgement to H. Almy & Co., for $35,000 and ordered the city to make a special levy for that amount. This was, that the constitution of 1870, which says that any city shall provide for the collection of a direct annual tax to pay the interest on a debt as it falls due and also to pay and discharge the principal thereof within twenty years from the time of contraction, repealed that special clause in the charter which limits the city's taxing power for the liquidation of bonded indebtedness to three-tenths of 1 per cent.

The case on which so much hinged was entitled "The City of East St. Louis vs. Philip Gundlach." It was brought by Messrs. Buckland and Fallen and other tax-payers as a test in the Circuit Court of St. Clair County at the September term, 1887. Capt. Robert A. Halbert and Jesse M. Freels were employed to fight the payment of the bond and Special Attorney F. G. Cockerell appeared for the city. The bondholders were represented by F. A. McConnaughy of Belleville and several other lawyers from Springfield and Chicago. Judge Snyder by consent of both parties granted a peremptory mandamus against the city for an immediate levy to pay the bond and interest, which amounted in all to $1,200. The city then took an appeal to the State Supreme Court, and the case was argued orally before that tribunal, the arguments lasting several days. The brief prepared by Messrs. Halbert and Freels was shown by Mr. Fallen to several learned members of the St. Louis and New York bars and they all pronounced the position incontrovertible. The plaintiffs and the people consequently had great confidence in a favorable outcome to the suit, and the news that the bondholders had triumphed was a great and sorrowful surprise. A rehearing will of course be asked for and if refused the case will be taken to the United States Supreme Court, but as that court has already decided the same questions involved, in the Almy case, there is very little hope of the city having the decision of the State Supreme Court reversed.

WHAT WILL BE DONE.

A POST-DISPATCH reporter asked Auditor Kirk this morning what he thought about the decision. "It is nothing more than I expected," he said, "and the city will have to pay."

"The bondholders will demand dollar for dollar now, will they not?"

"Yes, I suppose so. Of course they are in the position to dictate."

"What do you estimate the debt to be?"

"The bonded debt is $409,000, and there is about $200,000 in judgments."

"Is there any way of ascertaining how many judgments are outstanding against the city?"

"No. When a proposition is made to fund we will have to wait until the judgments and claims are presented before it can be known just what the aggregate will be."

TAXATION WILL BE RUINOUS.

One of the largest taxpayers in the city was seen in regard to the effect of the decision and was greatly cast down over the prospects. He said: "Taxation now will be almost ruinous. The special levy of $35,000 ordered by the United States Supreme Court, and to the payment of which all the taxpayers objected pending decision in the Gundlach case, will, of course, be collected, and next year the taxation will be fully 15 cents on the dollar. Proportionate levies will have to be made for a number of years before the entire indebtedness is discharged."

"How about funding the debt?"

"The people will not, I believe, vote for it. There is too great an opportunity for fraud. Besides to fund would only be putting off payment and to pay a big rate of interest annually for the debt."

"But will the city not be much better able to pay in the future?"

"I am not so sure about that. The heavy debt hanging over the municipality like a cloud would be terrifying to those who thought of investing, and how is the city to advance unless capital is invested here. Another reason why it would not be so much less burdensome on the taxpayers to liquidate the debt in the future is this. The St. Louis Bridge Co., as you know, pays one-third the tax of the city. Lately they have been filing in their approach and it will soon be a roadway and can only be assessed at so much a mile. The Wabash Road, I know, too, is soon to be reorganized, for what purpose, do you suppose? I will tell you. In order to make a straight line from Toledo to Kansas City, and thus to make the bridge but a part of the road and prevent it from being assessed in any other manner. This is the object and it will without doubt be successful, as the company will have the Supreme Courts of Indiana, Kentucky and Missouri to support its position, the highest courts in the two latter States having decided that the Louisville and St. Charles bridges could only be assessed as part of the road way. See what a chunk would be taken out of the city's revenue if this was accomplished, and judge for yourself whether the city would be better able to pay in twenty years than it is now."

Messrs. Buckland and Fallen were seen this morning in regard to the pending sale of their real estate to a St. Louis syndicate, and asked whether the decision would frustrate it. They said the purchasers had until the 23d to decide, and had posted a forfeit. They did not think that the decision would end the deal, but, of course, did not know how the capitalists would look at it.

In the City Court.

In the City Court this morning a demurrer in the case of Charles Roland vs. the O. & M. for $1,990 was argued. In the case of Nellie McGibbin against the city, a verdict of $350 was rendered. In the case of Sarah A. McLung vs. Henry Sackman for $2,000, for closing up a window, the jury decided for the defendant.

AN INSANE ITALIAN'S FREAK.

He Shoots and Wounds a Fellow-Passenger on a Train.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., May 10.—As Erie train No. 12 was pulling into the depot here at 1 o'clock this morning John Pareno, an Italian, a passenger in the day coach, suddenly sprang to his feet, drew a revolver and fired three shots at Owen Howe, another passenger, from Hartsville, Allegheny County. One of the bullets struck Howe in the breast, inflicting a dangerous wound and another detached the pendants from a lady's earring. Pareno then sprang from the train and fled up the street but was overhauled by the depot police. The Italian claims that Howe and several passengers had robbed and threatened to kill him. Howe says the Italian is crazy and has not been robbed at all. Pareno is from Braidwood, Ill., and was on his way to Italy. Both men are held at police headquarters awaiting a hearing.

Southern Port Quarantine.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

JACKSON, Miss., May 10.—The State Board of Health has ordered that the quarantine of the ports of Hancock and Harrison Counties shall go into effect on May 10, and that all vessels coming to these ports on or after that date shall report to the Ship Island Quarantine Station and be subject to the rules and regulations in force at that station.

MRS. H. Dallmeyer of 2205 Dayton street, with her nephew, Master Arthur Sieling, left on the 8th for Lexington, Mo., where they will spend several weeks with relatives.

AT THE THEATERS.

The "Requiem" Rehearsal—Local Stage Attractions—Coming Theatrical Events.

The rehearsal of Verdi's "Requiem" by the combined choruses of the Liederkranz and Choral Societies was given yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The orchestra is larger than last year, the chorus even more practiced in the work which they performed so successfully once before. Mr. Knorr also improved upon his former work. Mr. Wiseman showed his skill in vocalization in the artistic rendering he gave to the difficult and florid solos. Mrs. Bollman's voice, with its rich, full, sympathetic tones, is better than ever, and she will certainly score a greater success than she did last year. Miss Juch's rendering of her work is essentially dramatic and powerful. She, of course, was saving her voice for to-night's work, but occasionally she let it out to its full power, especially in the climaxes, which she gave with the ease and self-possession of the successful and popular prima donna. Her voice has all its old sweetness and power, and in the tender and lyric parts, as well as in the intense portions, will show to the very best advantage. Her conception of the music is in perfect harmony with the dramatic fervor of the composer, who even in a requiem mass could not forget the operatic writer. The enterprise which the Choral Society have shown in engaging so noted a prima donna as Miss Juch should meet with recognition in the shape of a full audience.

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The information conveyed yesterday by a dispatch from Chicago to the effect that Mr. Heinrich Conried, the well-known operatic manager, had signed over the sole control of his vast operatic business, which includes contracts with the famous German composers for their operas and with many of the German dramatists for their plays, together with the management of his English opera company, to James D. Carson is interesting to St. Louisans. The local interest arises from the fact that Manager Short of the Cave holds a contract with Mr. Conried for the production of the latest and best of his operatic successes at Uhrig's this summer. Mr. Conried controls nearly all of the great operatic successes, such as "Nanon," "Black Hussar," "Beggar Student," "Amorita," "The Bat," and a host of others, and also Daly's comedies, so that the contract is a big one. Mr. Conried expected to put the best English opera company he could collect at the Cave, and make the most brilliant season ever known at that popular resort. Mr. Short says that his contract will remain unimpaired and will be carried out to the letter, so that if the Cave does not succeed this season he will throw up his management.

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Extraordinary preparations are making at Schnaider's Garden for the grand opening in comic opera, which will take place on Saturday, May 12. A new opera, the sequel to "Fatinitza," is promised, with excellent cast, chorus and orchestra.

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Robert McWade is gaining many friends by his artistic impersonation of Rip Van Winkle at Pope's this week.

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Adelaide Randall and her operatic company are presenting "Mme. Bonifface," which will be the bill for the rest of the week.

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The People's Theater will be reopened next week with a version of "She," which is said to be the original version. It will be presented by Barrow & Stay's company and a gorgeous production is promised.

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The sale of seats for Dockstader's Minstrels, from their own theater in New York, who will be at the Olympic next week, opened to-day. With the company are Lew Dockstader, Wm. Sweatnam, Billy Rice, Harry Maxwell and over thirty other well-known black-face artists.

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Prof. White of Yale College delivered a most interesting lecture last evening at Entertainment Hall on the subject of memory. The lecture was given to a class of students of Washington University and their friends and was introductory to a course of five lessons on the subject. Prof. White's plan of strengthening the memory is said to be excellent.

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Coup, Robinson & Maginley's circus, with all the features of a full show, will open on Saturday afternoon at Nineteenth and Olive streets.

CABMEN COMPLAIN.

Christopher Quinn, the President of the Union, Voices Their Grievances.

An item recently appeared in a morning paper referring to the blockading of Walnut street, between Fourth street and Broadway, by cabmen, in which the responsibility for the nuisance was placed upon the drivers of the cabs, and Christopher Quinn, President of the Public Hack and Cab Drivers' Association of St. Louis, in referring to the charge, said: "It is the fashion to misrepresent and denounce us, though the majority of us own our hacks, cabs and horses, pay taxes and are law-abiding citizens. Now, with regard to the trouble on Walnut street in question, it has been done us. Up to date the city has issued 170 licenses for public cabs, but has failed to provide a sufficient number of stands, the only public station of this kind being on the Levee and one for four cabs at Eighth and Locust streets. All other stands are private and are leased to the cabmen by the corporations or individuals owning them at the rate of $5 or more a cab per month, according to location. At the Southern the rents paid in this way run up into the thousands, but the parties in the privileged of the Walnut street front are largely responsible for much of the annoyance attributed to us. Thus we are driven to keep moving about the streets, picking up such stray fares as we can and arrested if we but stop for a moment. Let the city provide us with stands and you would hear no more of such complaints. I would suggest that we be furnished with a stand on one side of each hotel, and at every place of amusement, including bail-rooms, during the progress of the entertainment. We should also be permitted to stand in front of public buildings, and though all this would necessitate a revision of the ordinance we think it is due us, as otherwise we can hardly expect to earn a living and please everyone at the same time."

BREWERS' WAGES.

The Bosses Under No Compulsion Concede an Advance in Pay.

The Brewers' Association of St. Louis and East St. Louis yesterday posted a scale of wages to be paid workmen in the breweries controlled by the association which are nearly equal to the demands of the workingmen. The brewers had a contract with their men until May 1, and on the expiration of this contract they refused to renew. In the scale posted yesterday, however, they concede the wage matter and also agree that ten hours shall constitute a day's work during the week and three hours on Sunday. Extra time to be paid for at the rate of 25 cents per hour. The workmen are to be provided with free beer as under the late contract, and no men will be employed on the recommendation of saloon-keepers. The minimum scale of wages to be paid now, the minimum wages demanded by the workingmen on May 1, and the scale in force under the contract terminating May 1 are as follows:

	New Scale Demanded Per Month.	Last Year Per Week.	Last Year Per Month.
Wash-house employes	$55	$15	$55
Kettle, cellar and fermentation room men	60	16	60
Malsters and malt-house hands	65	16	60

Extra time was paid last year at 20 cents per hour. The men demanded 30 cents this year, and the scale posted yesterday gives them 25 cents.

A Poorly Organized Mob.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

COAL HILL, Ark., May 10.—Armed men organized here late last night to go to Ozark and lynch Crisp. They took possession of a switch engine and forced the engineer into service. The engine was pulled out of the yard and the men were all aboard, ready to start, but a misunderstanding as to leaders and methods broke up the crowd in confusion.

A FIRE broke out in the two-story frame stable on Lee and Clay avenues owned by Philip Hof, living at No. 4203 Clay avenue, at 1:40 this morning, and it was totally destroyed. The loss amounts to $300 and is fully covered by insurance.

DOINGS IN THE COURTS.

A DIVORCE SOUGHT BY A LADY WITH A SAD EXPERIENCE.

Deserted for Declining to Support a Husband—The Breckenridge Trustee Relieved by Agreement of the Parties—A Suit Growing Out of the Smith, Beggs & Ranken Assignment—New Cases Entered in the Circuit Court To-Day.

A petition for divorce was entered to-day in the Circuit Court by Mrs. Mary Feather against Lester Feather. The marriage took place on the 10th of January, 1884, and they lived together until the 25th of April, 1887. Mrs. Feather alleges that her husband utterly failed in his duties as the head of the family and failed to support her. With the exception of about eleven months Mrs. Feather states that she was compelled to provide for herself as well as for her husband. During the whole period she had to purchase her own clothing. Her condition in this way became intolerable, and at length because she refused to support her husband any longer he deserted her and has remained absent ever since. Having waited the statutory period, twelve months, Mrs. Feather now applies for a legal release from an unfortunate alliance.

The Breckenridge Trust.

The resignation of Richard M. Scruggs as trustee for Mrs. Julia C. Breckenridge was accepted to-day by Judge Dillon and he was permitted to pay the fund, $6,000, into court. It will be remembered that at the time of the settlement of the Breckenridge divorce case the terms of alimony included an arrangement for the husband, George Breckenridge, to pay $6,000 in trust to be invested in property for a residence for Mrs. Breckenridge. A short time since Mr. Scruggs asked to be relieved of the trust on the ground that the parties had not been able to agree upon a location. From a statement made by counsel to-day, however, it appeared that an agreement upon a piece of property had at length been reached and the purchase will be confirmed by the court. Mr Scruggs paid the money into the hands of the clerk of the court and was released from the trust.

Held by the Assignee.

A suit was filed to-day in the Circuit Court by the Druillard Iron Co. against Wm. H. Thomson, assignee of Smith, Beggs & Ranken. From the petitition it appears that the Druillard Iron Co. sent on to Smith, Beggs & Ranken fifty-one tons and 1,107 pounds of Cumberland No. 2 foundry pig valued at $635. The iron was not sold, however, and it was left at the foundry with the understanding that the matter would be adjusted when the agent reached here. In the meantime the firm made an assignment and the trustee claims that the iron is unlawfully detained by the assignee. Judgment is asked for the value of the property or its return, and for $250 damages for detention.

A Trustee's Petition.

A suit was entered to-day in the Circuit Court by Thomas T. Turner, trustee of Catharine Dickson, deceased, against Walter A. Dickson, John Whittaker, Elizabeth W. McMurray, Rebecca W. Briggs and Charles E. Briggs. Mr. Turner asks that his accounts may be examined and allowed, and that after allowance of all costs and expenses, compensation, etc., he shall be permitted to turn over the balance to the parties entitled thereto and be discharged of the trust. The same was created under the will of Francis Whittaker, father of Mrs. Dickson, deceased. Having filed his estate and without children the property passes to the parties named as defendants.

Notes in Court.

In the matter of the assignment of Francis Benjamin the court approved the bond of the assignee, John P. O'Connor.

A stipulation was entered to-day in Judge Barclay's court for the setting aside of the judgment in the case of Barry & Co. against the Missouri Pacific Railroad Co.

The suit of A. Loth & Son against Anthony Rocksprung et al. for the appointment of proceedings entered by the Loth firm, is before a jury to-day in Judge Valliant's court.

A suit was entered in the Circuit Court today by Carey Brothers of Philadelphia against H. F. Roath & Co., of this city to recover on two notes for $116 each and $414.87 on account of paper-hanging goods sold and delivered.

The trial of the Johnson damage suit against Samuel Robbins, a widow's claim against a contractor for loss of personal property by fire, caused by a boarding-house on Olive street, is still before a jury in Judge Seddon's court.

The trial of the damage suit for malicious prosecution, Jacob Martini against E. H. Kortkamp and Conrad Hoffman, is before a jury in Judge Lubke's court. This is the sequel to a landlord's prosecution of a tenant for removal of fixtures.

In the Todd-Terry litigation the death of Mrs. Sarah Collins, which occurred to-day in Judge Dillon's court and the executor, her husband, was made a party defendant. The suit is that of the widow of Albert Todd to establish her dower.

THE concert which was given at Pilgrim Church last Thursday evening was in every respect a royal entertainment.

IT is very rare that so great a number of the best vocalists are brought together, thus making it possible to produce the grand and brilliant concerted music which characterized this entertainment. As many were unable to use their tickets at the last concert it will be repeated to-morrow (Friday) evening. The programme is given in another column.

LEFT THE CHURCH.

A Philadelphia Preacher Joins the Ethical Culture Society.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 10.—A well-known congregation in Philadelphia has been considerably agitated over the fact that its minister has announced his intention of withdrawing from the work of the Christian ministry and entering into the Fraternity of Ethical Lecturers. The minister is Mr. Mangasarian, who was at the head of the Independent Christian Church in Philadelphia. He is a graduate of the Princeton Theological Seminary, and was at first in charge of a Presbyterian pulpit. He has attained considerable prominence in this city, owing to his exceptional eloquence and ability as a speaker, and of late his views became more liberal, and his society took the name of the Independent Christian Church. He has finally decided to give up that work and throw his entire energies into the ethical movement. Last Sunday, to his people in Philadelphia, he announced his resolution of entering that work, and the announcement was received by applause from the congregation. His people are, to quite a large extent, disposed to go in the same direction; and it is now thought probable that the church will give up its charter and amalgamate with the Society for Ethical Culture in Philadelphia. Mr. Mangasarian contemplates going to New York to spend the coming winter in preparation for the new work and in associated activity with Prof. Felix Adler in the Ethical Society of New York. It is quite probable, however, that he will retain a partial connection with his former society by being for a time associated lecturer along with Mr. Weston of the amalgamated societies of Philadelphia. Mr. Mangasarian addressed the Ethical Society in New York a week ago Sunday and Prof. Felix Adler's platform on the subject: "Why I Have Left the Christian Church," and was received with enthusiasm.

A Costly Spring-Back Knife.

Larry Daly, alias Jerry O'Neil, was fined $50 in Judge Cady's Court this morning on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. Four boys were discovered at 10:30 last night by Private Watchman Rahmeir attempting to reach the money drawer of the fruit-stand at the southwest corner of Fourth and Locust streets. They all ran on seeing him, but Rahmeir blew his whistle and attracted the attention of Officer Danaher, who captured one of them and took him to the Chestnut street station. He gave the name of Jerry O'Neil, although Larry Daly is his correct name. As a spring-back knife was found on him he was arraigned in the police court on a charge of carrying concealed weapons.

Daily Bargain Bulletin

Barr's

Cloth Dept.

Only 50c per yard, remember, is the price for a 54-INCH PARIS TRICOT, in navy blue, steel mixture, etc; cannot be duplicated for less than double the price. Splendid for riding, traveling, house and street wear. Ladies, don't miss this Great Bargain. BARR'S.

Glove Dept.

We have just received 200 dozen 6-button length All-Silk Jersey Gloves, in tans, grays, slates, modes and black, which we offer at the very low price of 50c a pair. These goods cannot last long in stock. BARR'S.

Upholstery Dept.

$3.50, $5.00 and $7.50 Pair. At these prices we are showing a full line of Colored Madras Curtains worth $6.50, $10.00 and $12.50. Very desirable for summer draperies and portieres. Examine and you will consider them a big bargain. BARR'S.

Wash Fabric Dept.

4,000 pcs. Imported English Satteens in 1,000 styles, fully equal to most French goods, at 25c a yard. This week only. BARR'S.

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Ladies Look Over Barr's Bulletin Before Buying

A GREAT RAILROAD.

The Business of the Canadian Pacific in 1887 —Directors Elected.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

MONTREAL, May 10.—The annual meeting of the Canadian Pacific Railway was held yesterday in this city. The annual report showed that this company now controls 4,960 miles and owns some 17,400 locomotives and cars of all descriptions. The number of passengers carried during the year was 2,057,089, and the number of tons of freight 690,000,000. During the year $4,996,616 were expended in construction and improvements. The earnings for the year amount to $11,606,412.80, and the working expenses to $8,102,294. The total estimated value of the company's property is placed at $165,548,816. The earnings are detailed as follows: Passengers, $3,453,618; freight, $6,924,130; mails, $241,949; express, $385,035; parlor and sleeping cars, $176,826; telegraph and miscellaneous, $574,653; total $11,606,412, against $8,368,493 in 1886. The report makes reference to the severity and unusual snowfall of last winter, which had its great effect on the cost of working the line during the first four months of the year that the net earnings fell nearly $400,000 during the period, as compared with that preceding. The deficiency in the crops in Ontario and the insufficiency of the rolling stock and elevator facilities of the company seriously affected its earnings also. The same deficiency affected the passenger and all other traffic in the province. The earnings of the company being consequently on the traffic with the Northwest and British Columbia and as such long traffic is at low rates relatively, the average earnings per mile were reduced considerably below those of 1886. The larger amount of last year's crop yet to be moved from the Northwest will insure satisfactory returns for the first six months of the present year.

The steamship services between VanCouver and Yokohama and Hong Kong, referred to in the last report, has fully justified all expectations as to the value and importance of the trade to be developed it direction. The negotiations then in progress with the Imperial Government for the establishment of a permanent line of first-class steamers, suitable for armed cruisers in time of war has so far progressed that a subsidy of $60,000 has been obtained for a monthly service. The details of a formal contract have been practically settled, but owning to negotiations pending between the Imperial and Dominion Governments as to an improved Atlantic service, not yet signed. The company's telegraph system is growing in importance and will during the year reach the cities of the Australian colonies. A line has been extended south to San Francisco. The great elevators at Fort William and Port Arthur have earned a satisfactory return but the increase in grain production in the Northwest necessitates an increase and two new elevators are to be constructed at Fort William and one at Owen Sound.

WITH SUFFICIENT ELEVATOR CAPACITY

at Fort William and Port Arthur the movement of grain can be kept up throughout the winter, avoiding the necessity of carrying it through to the Eastern provinces and to the seaboard by rail at a season when the rates must be unremunerative or higher than the grain can bear. The report refers to the increase in the output of bituminous coal from the mines in the Northwest, and the mines adjacent mines near Banff to the advance in silver mining in British Columbia, and the first shipments of cattle from the mountain region to Great Britain. The development of Van Couver, founded two years ago, now of 7,000 inhabitants, is alluded to, and details of necessary expenditure entered into. The report of Sault Ste. Marie branch is also alluded to, with reference to its important bearings and other extensions, notably the acquisition of the Southeastern branch of the Ontario and the completion of the company's land, the report says it has been its policy to let the public domain be settled first so as to increase the value of its property, but that the sales to settlers during the year, including lands of the Manitoba Southwestern Railway, were 59,993 acres at an average price of $3.89½ per acre as against $3.29 per acre in 1886. The quantity of land in the hands of the company, after deducting, 6,790,000 acres surrendered to the Government under agreement and sales of 3,272,000 acres, is 14,964,237 acres.

The following were elected directors for the year: Sir Geo. Stephen, Bart.; the Hon. J. I. C. Abbott, Senator W. C. Van Horne, Sir Donald A. Smith, K. C. M. G., member of Parliament; Richard B. Angus, Montreal; Edmund B. Oster, Toronto; Sanford Fleming, C. E., C. M. G., Ottawa; the Hon. George A. Kirkpatric, member of Parliament, Kingston; R. B. Marsiman, Amsterdam and New York; the Hon. W. L. Scott, Erie, Pa.; George R. Harris of Messrs. Blake Bros. & Co., Boston; the Hon. Levi P. Morton, Richard J. Cross of Messrs. Morton, Bliss & Co., New York; Wilmot D. Matthews, Toronto, and P. Du P. Grenfell, London. At a subsequent meeting of the directors Sir George Stephen was re-elected President and W. C. Van Horne Vice-President.

A Brutal Murder.

BOOTH BAY, Me., May 10.—Wm. Kenniston, an old farmer at North Booth Bay, was murdered last night in his home here by Llewellyn Quimby, aged 20. He was beaten about the head, stabbed and shot. The murderer was captured about 7 o'clock this morning at Nobleboro by Geo. Perkins and A. H. Kenniston, a son of the murdered man. When discovered he attempted to escape, and Kenniston fired three shots at him from a revolver, one taking effect in his head, but inflicting only a scalp wound, and bringing the criminal to bay. He was then handcuffed and started for Booth Bay.

A Plucky Farmer.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 10.—The house of James Moody, a farmer, living in Saline County, was visited by a party of masked men, who demanded admittance. Moody refused to open the door. The men outside began to batter it down, when Moody shot three or four times with a revolver through a crack into the crowd, dispersing them. Moody had previously been warned to leave the country.

Stanberry's Board of Trade.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

STANBERRY, Mo., May 10.—The Stanberry Board of Trade reorganized last night with a good membership. A finance committee was appointed to raise Gentry County's pro rata for the Northwest Missouri Immigration Society, and a special committee appointed to secure the cannery, to which generous financial aid is promised.

Mrs. Addie M. Harper Dying.

Mrs. Addie M. Harper, wife of the late Capt. W. S. Harper and the youngest and only surviving daughter of Mrs. Emily E. Stine, is lying at the point of death at the house of Mr. George A. Gostorf of Little Rock. Mrs. Harper, who is a member of one of the families settling earliest in St. Louis, visited Mrs. Gostorf recently at Little Rock, only to be stricken down and confined to her bed, from which she will probably never rise.

NEVER REACHED TRIAL.

Prof. C. H. Stone Censures the Administration of Four Courts Justice.

The first case in which there was a prosecution for the stealing of a bicycle came to an inglorious end, Tuesday, and the 1,500 wheelmen in the city who picked up the POST-DISPATCH on that evening were disgusted to learn the case had been nolle prossed in the morning. They were no more disgusted than was Prof. C. H. Stone, who had the management of the case. The POST-DISPATCH told a few days ago of the long chase that Prof. Stone, Knight Wade, the owner of the stolen wheel, and a policeman had to capture the alleged thief. It was the intention of the parties interested to prosecute the case to the bitter end in hope that a severe penalty might check the growth of wheel stealing. The nolle prossing of the case was a great surprise to Prof. Stone.

PROF. STONE WRATHY.

To a POST-DISPATCH reporter he said to-day: "Such a miscarriage of justice I cannot understand. We were in Judge Noonan's court at the appointed hour with our witnesses ready to go on with the case. We were waiting for the calling of our case, when a friend came up and informed us that our case had been nolle prosequied. So it proved. If it hadn't been for him we might be sitting there yet. I called on Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Dierkes for an explanation. He said that certain friends of the prisoner had called on him and represented that he was all right; that he had got the wheel by mistake and was a perfectly respectable young man. He had therefore nolle prossed the case. 'Yes,' but I said, 'Mr. Dierkes, we are ready to go into court; I know all say we can go for naught. But not only that. We cannot expect Chief Huebler to repeat his kind assistance to us if our cases are so flimsy they are thrown out before reaching trial. If we cannot get a trial what is the use of trying to punish robbery? There are over a thousand riders in this city who will share my opinion."

A NOTABLE GATHERING.

Reunion of the Survivors of the Massachusetts Legislature of 1851.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

BOSTON, Mass., May 10.—Just forty-one survivors of the famous Massachusetts Legislature of 1851, which had among its members Henry Wilson, Judge Benjamin R. Curtis and Caleb Cushing, and elected Charles Sumner to the United States Senate, sat down to a reunion dinner at the Revere House yesterday afternoon. EX-Gov. Geo. S. Boutwell, who was Grant's Secretary of the Treasury, presided. Near him were seated ex-Govs. Nathaniel P. Banks, Henry J. Gardner and William Claflin, and Messrs. Samuel Warner, Daniel Sanders, Charles Theodore Russell, J. M. Usher and Nathaniel Doane, who were in the upper branch of the Legislature in 1851. Of the representatives of that year there were present, among others, Messrs. William Aspinwall, Stephen M. Allen, Nathaniel Safford, Rodney Hunt, Alexander Day, Ives Adams, Emery Washburn, John Girdler, B. F. Osgood, Edward Mansfield, Charles W. Cushing, Samuel Clark, Charles Endicott, Morris Knowles, Benjamin James, John D. Fiske, William W. Rice, James W. Robertson, David Welder, Jacob Sleeper, James S. Campbell, E. G. Lamson, J. B. Nye, Austin Messenger, William H. Haskell, Azel Ames, John Edgell, Joseph F. Johnson, Oliver Smith and John Branding.

The youngest member present was J. B. F. Osgood, who is 65 years of age. The oldest were Clement Willis and Simeon Fisher, who are each 87.

WILL CALL ON MRS. GRANT.

Lay Delegates to the Methodist Conference Who Are Members of the G. A. R.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Many of the lay delegates to the great Methodist Episcopal Conference now being held at the Metropolitan Opera-house are members of the Grand Army of the Republic. It has been the common wish among those that a friendly call should be made on the widow of Gen. Grant. With this purpose in view, Gen. Clinton B. Fiske, after the adjournment of the conference yesterday, called all members of the Grand Army towards the platform. A meeting was called, and ex-Lieut.-Gov. Cumback of Indiana was chosen temporary Chairman. This gentleman appointed a committee of three, comprising Messrs. Fiske, Knight and Gue, to wait on Mrs. Grant and ascertain from her the date most convenient to her for the delegation call. The meeting then adjourned, subject to the call of the Chair.

WANTS HIS SHARES.

The Suit of Edward H. Allen Against the Colorado Central Consolidated.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The suit of Edward H. Allen against the Colorado Central Consolidated Mining Co. to recover $50,000 damages for the alleged conversion of 9,500 shares of the company's stock, was concluded before the special term of the Supreme Court yesterday. Judge O'Brien reserved his decision. Allen alleged that on September 1, 1881, he delivered to the company 5,600 shares of its stock for transfer on the books of the corporation, and that only 1,100 of the shares were subsequently returned. He charges the company with wrongful conversion of the balance. This the company denies and claims that if the balance was received it was delivered to the secretary for himself, and if there was any conversion it was done by that official.

A Brute Respited.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 10.—Gov. Hughes has granted a respite for sixty days in the case of W. J. Coates, who was to have been executed to-morrow at Fort Smith. Coates assaulted his 14-year-old daughter. It is one of the few cases where the extreme penalty of the law has been meted out.

Murdered His Son-in-Law.

DENVER, Colo., May 10.—During a family quarrel, late last night, between Henry J. Barron, aged 77, his son-in-law, J. S. Higgins and Higgins' son-in-law, which originated over the ownership of a dog, Barron shot and instantly killed Higgins. Barron is in jail. He is from Lockport, N. Y.

THE BLUE AND THE GRAY.

Visit of the Washington Grays of Philadelphia to Richmond.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

RICHMOND, Va., May 10.—The Washington Grays of Philadelphia arrived here yesterday. They were received by the Richmond Light Infantry Blues, whose guests they are, on the occasion of the celebration of the ninety-fifth anniversary of the latter company, which occurs to-day. There was a large crowd at the depot despite the showery weather which prevailed, and the reception of the visitors was cordial and hearty. Hon. John S. Wise, an ex-Captain of the Blues, welcomed the strangers in a happy speech, after which the two companies marched through several principal streets, the sidewalks of which were filled with admiring crods. Passing through the Capitol grounds the military marched to the gubernatorial mansion, where they were received by Gov. Lee, who welcomed the visitors to Virginia. They were then escorted to Ford's Hotel, their headquarters, and after dinner, spent the remainder of the afternoon in visiting the city. Last night they were banqueted. To-day, in company with their entertainers, they will proceed to Warwick Park, a few miles down the James River, where the day will be spent in general festivities.

A DANGEROUS WOMAN.

Some Interesting Information About Mrs Scofield From a Former Associate.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, May 10.—A Mrs. Sophrona Twitchell called twice at the Coroner's office yesterday afternoon. She said she went to San Francisco in 1854, remaining until 1880. She had known of Mrs. Scofield for fourteen years. She and Mrs. Scofield were among the five hundred women who occupied seats on the gallery of the Stock Exchange of San Francisco several years ago in order to speculate in stock. Each woman had a messenger to transact her business. She said Mrs. Scofield was in the habit of getting acquainted with brokers who would advance money to be invested in their private account. She said Ferris is not related to Mrs. Scofield. She thought that Mrs. Scofield was going to get Hatch and Mr. Scogeld to invest money in electric lighting, in which Ferris is interested. Having got their money in the business she would cut loose from Hatch and Scofield and take up with Ferris. Mrs. Twitchell says Mrs. Scofield is an adventuress who entered whatever society she could in San Francisco in order to get acquainted with wealthy married men. The Coroner thinks she is a crank.

LOCAL NEWS.

On Saturday night the Coachmen's Society will give a ball at Easton Avenue Hall. Grand and Easton avenues.

At 2 o'clock this morning John Hopp's carpenter shop on the corner of Clair and Lee avenues was burned. The loss is $500.

A tower on the malt kiln at Chas. Ellerman & Co.'s malt-house, Twenty-second street and Scott avenue, burned yesterday afternoon.

The seventh annual picnic of Garfield school will be given at Concordia Park next Monday. The children will march from the school to the park.

Francis Benjamin, a grocer at 3011 Olive street, was yesterday arrested for defrauding N. K. Fairbank & Co. of soap to the value of $2.50.

A warrant was yesterday issued against Wm. Davenport, charging him with the murder of Richard James at 112 Morgan street, two years ago.

An unknown man jumped from the ferryboat Venice at 6:30 o'clock last evening, as the boat was leaving the foot of North Market street. He was drowned.

Wm. Lowrey, a deck-hand on the Baton Rouge, was stabbed three times in the back at Front and Market streets, last night. He was treated at the City Dispensary.

Prof. White lectured on his memory system before an audience at Entertainment Hall last night preliminary to a course on the system to be delivered in Washington University.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the American Exchange Bank held this afternoon, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Peter Nicholson, President; Orson Hewitt, Vice-President and Walker Hill, Cashier.

A meeting of owners of fancy dogs was held in the office of the American Refrigerator Transit Co. yesterday to adopt some means to have the prohibition of dogs in Forest Park removed. John Whittaker, Reid Northrop and James Campbell were appointed a committee to see the Mayor and Park Commissioner.

The Mexican Veterans' Association last night elected the following officers: President, Alfred Grable; First Vice-President, Capt. A. B. Pearson; Second Vice-President, Capt. A. B. Pearson; Third Vice-President, Herman Bessar; Fourth Vice-President, James Barclay; Fifth Vice-President, Enoch T. Ivester; Secretary, James Spore; Corresponding Secretary, A. J. Buck; Treasurer, Wm. H. Weightman.

The Grand Commandery of Royal and Select Masons of Missouri yesterday elected H. C. Christopher, St. Louis, Grand Master; John J. Pierron, St. Louis, Deputy Grand Master; F. J. Tygard, Butler, Grand Principal Conductor of Work; N. M. Givan, St. Louis, Grand Treasurer; W. H. Mayo, St. Louis, Grand Recorder; Thomas Seal, St. Louis, Captain of the Guard; W. J. Terrell, Harrisonville, Conductor of the Council.

The Anointed High Priests, a branch of Royal Arch Masonry, conferred the degree on twenty candidates last night and elected the following officers: Thomas F. Garrett, Most Excellent President; Allan Mowell, Vice-President; Lee A. Hall, Chaplain; John H. Parson, Treasurer; Wm. H. Mayo, Recorder; Wm. R. Smithfield, Master Ceremonies; Jas. R. Austin, Conductor; J. Percival Smith, Herald; Wm. H. Dale, Steward; Courtland D. Kelly, Sentinel.

HOTEL PERSONALS.

John Clark, Salisbury, Mo., and N. C. Mattack, Indianapolis, are at the St. James.

H. Henry, Springfield, Ill.; James Meken, Bay City, Mich., and H. C. Mundenhall, Meridian, Miss., are at Hurst's.

H. W. Carter, Bradford, Pa., S. N. Jenkins, Ellsville, Ill., and J. F. Dritt, Tipton, Mo., are at the Hotel Barnum.

Eli T. Anderson, Hornesville, Mo.; J. W. Lacy, Wentzville, Mo., and W. F. Steinway, Dallas, Tex., are at Hotel Hunt.

B. Henry, Kansas City; C. L. Mayo, Rich Hill, Mo.; A. O. Bates, Holden, Mo., and J. S. Conger, Chicago, are at the Laclede.

C. F. Cook, Edwardsville, Ill.; John J. Clark, Lenox, Mass.; J. C. Stewart, Webb City, Mo., and H. C. Henry, Kimira, N. Y., are at the Planters'.

Charles P. Williamson, Detroit; Alex Howell, Rushville, Ill.; J.

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AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

MUSIC HALL—St. Louis Choral Society.
POPE'S—"Rip Van Winkle."
STANDARD—Adelaide Randall Opera Co.
CYCLORAMA—"Battle of Bull Run."

The indications for twenty-four hours commencing at 3 p. m. to-day for Missouri are: Slightly cooler, fair weather; light to fresh westerly winds.

THE war record of Senator INGALLS is a proper subject of investigation.

KANSAS instructs for INGALLS with an "if"—if she cannot get BLAINE.

IT was not VOORHEES, but INGALLS, who challenged an investigation of war records.

THE best Republicans of St. Louis can send Mr. HOUSER to Chicago as their delegate if they will make a proper effort.

WHY do the morning papers revive war records in Kansas and Indiana and omit to mention that this is Camp Jackson day?

THE Blaine round-up is going on without interruption. Yesterday Kansas and New Jersey were corralled and the brand verified.

WE predict a total failure of the attempt to make the average American citizen in 1888 cast his vote under the delusion that this is 1863.

THERE is a great deal of curiosity about the nominees of the conventions, but there is also a great deal of interest taken in the hen-and-a-half problem.

SOME Republican papers are saying that "BLAINE'S foot friends must be sent to the rear." When that is done there will be very few Republicans left at the front.

THE Republicans of St. Louis should not send as delegates to the National Convention men whom they would not send as delegates to the Municipal Assembly.

THE President of the Globe Printing Co. is a gentleman who has done everything for the Republican party and asked for nothing. That is the kind of a man that a party should send to its National Conventions.

IF the two Republican Senators from Illinois cannot secure the confirmation of the new Chief Justice from their State the "courtesy of the Senate" will receive a heavier blow than when VOORHEES called INGALLS a liar.

PETTIS and Charlton have joined the list of counties that will wait till August 11 before nominating a Democratic candidate for Governor. It looks as if Howard will be left alone in her glory, and that "Poor Old Howard" will supersede "Poor Old Missouri."

THE Cincinnati *Enquirer* has discovered by telegraphing to the editors of the leading papers that they are of the opinion that CLEVELAND will be the Democratic nominee and BLAINE the Republican nominee. The same result might have been arrived at by a few minutes' exercise of the shears among the exchanges.

THE good people who object to family gatherings on Sunday in gardens where there are flowers and fountains, music and beer, talk sometimes about "the American Sabbath" as if it were the safeguard of our social life and the corner-stone of our Republic. This beerless American Sabbath was celebrated in Chicago last Sunday by the attendance of 6,000 people at a game of base ball.

NEXT to the praise of the judicious we value the censure of the foolish, and we rejoice when the Boonville *Weekly Advertiser*, a small organ disseminated by the Francis Literary Bureau, speaks of the POST-DISPATCH as being "everything by turns and nothing long." We believe that in his business capacity Mr. FRANCIS makes everything by "turns," and that he is sometimes "long" and sometimes "short," according to the market.

IT greatly puzzles an Indiana Republican to tell why BEN HARRISON should be nominated at Chicago.—[*Globe-Democrat.*

It would not require more than average intelligence in an Indiana Republican to explain that BLAINE wants to get an Indiana man in the second place on the ticket with him and would prefer a member of the Campbellite Church.

IT was COLQUITT, not BROWN, who spoke for Georgia's Democracy in the Senate on the tariff and free whisky questions. The Georgia Democratic State Convention has endorsed the President's anti-surplus message with pronounced emphasis, and rebuked Senator BROWN with a resolution declaring that the tariff surplus is collected "to maintain and protect corpulent and hoary-headed monopolies under the pretext of fostering infantile industries which never grow old, and are as insatiate as cormorants." Georgia has reformed Senator BROWN'S convict labor camps once or twice, and it may now be expected that she will ere long abolish them forever.

SHERMAN might hold Ohio's delegation for more than one ballot if he could only secure another delegation somewhere. But since DON CAMERON failed to secure him even a chance at a complimentary vote from Pennsylvania, Mr. SHERMAN'S only hope is the forlorn hope MAHONE is leading for him in Virginia. No other candidate has given that State so much taffy as Mr. BLAINE. He spoke pathetically of her great services and sacrifices, her historic virtues, her misfortunes and her sufferings, and he suggested the payment of her State debt by the Federal Government and the dedication of the Internal Revenue to State use out of charitable consideration for Virginia and other impoverished Southern States. It is therefore easy to believe the report that Virginia Republicans are enthusiastic for BLAINE, and that MAHONE can hardly overcome the Blaine feeling, supported as it is by RIDDLEBERGER, CAMERON, WISE, LEWIS and other leaders. Mr. SHERMAN as a candidate is a badly used-up man.

THERE is Blaine thunder all around the sky, and it is machine thunder of the most unmistakable variety at that. New York districts declare for DEPEW with an "if" expressly in BLAINE'S favor, Kansas for INGALLS with the same distinctly expressed "if," and the New Jersey Republicans, after going wild with shouting over BLAINE'S latest "healthy" picture, instruct for his man PHELPS in a way that means BLAINE and nobody else. In Missouri the Kansas City district speaks for the Republican State Convention with a huzza for BLAINE. Ohio says SHERMAN when she means BLAINE as plainly as Indiana means BLAINE when she says HARRISON. ALLISON'S hold on the Iowa delegation is notoriously subject to BLAINE'S prior lien. Illinois alone withstands the current with a Gresham boom which is not a mere "favorite son" alias for BLAINE. The Blaine managers have about foreclosed on everything else in sight, and the nomination at Chicago is apparently as much a foregone conclusion as the nomination at St. Louis. Those who do not yet see the marks on the cards and how the game has been "put up" and played must be blind indeed.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

J. W.—Ramsey signed with the Louisville Club in 1885.

ADDISON, Hot Springs, Ark.—Dealers advertise no premium on $1 of 1887.

"J. V. S.—There is nothing incorrect about the sign "Pickled Herrings."

BASSANIO.—The Belcher spring is said to possess certain medical properties.

OLD SUBSCRIBER.—Five numbers in a row must be covered before you can "keno."

SUBSCRIBER.—The longest verse in the Bible is the ninth of the eighth chapter of Esther.

JOHN HELMERS.—Length of residence is not a requirement for a position in a city institution.

SUBSCRIBER.—The R. E. Lee and the Natchez left New Orleans for their race on Thursday, June 30, 1870.

READER.—The Detroits won no game from the Browns in the spring series. The Browns won the series of five straights.

M. P.—You might get cheap tickets from a scalper, but it would be hard for you to go to Cincinnati by rail if you have no money.

READERS.—The colors of the hair you send are as follows: Hazel L., deep auburn; Mina, rich brown; Lizette, red; Stella, very dark brown.

F. C. W.—The army of the United States, on December 1, 1887, consisted of 2,220 officers and 24,226 enlisted men. Missouri has no standing army.

EVANGELINE R.—Creoles are residents of New Orleans who trace their origin back to the old French stock. They have no negro blood in their veins.

A SUBSCRIBER.—Miss Lily B. Pierce recited "How the Old Horse Won the Bet" at the entertainment given for the benefit of the Police Relief Association fund.

BERTIE S.—1. Actors sometimes mingle in the best society. 2. It would be hard to decide who is entitled to the rank of "the dude of St. Louis." You must decide for yourself.

C. M. W.—If you have sent the money and applied for copyright to the Librarian of Congress you should get an answer. If you do not, your letter has not reached its destination.

SUBSCRIBER.—The exact width of the river under the bridge varies every minute, but the length of a line parallel to the river, reaching from one shore pier of the bridge to the other, is 1,694 feet.

SUBSCRIBER.—In the very early ages of the church celibacy was not always insisted upon among the Roman Catholic clergy. But that question was determined once for all at the Council of Trent.

NEMO, Belleville, Ill.—A gentleman, when accompanying a lady, usually walks on the outside of the street, but the rule is that he should walk where he would be best able to render the lady assistance.

REGULAR SUBSCRIBER.—The expression, "Suppose we looked at the jewelry and divided it, etc.," is correct. As is also the form, "Suppose we look, etc." Each depends upon the meaning to be conveyed.

A GOOD CUSTOMER.—St. Clair, Monroe, Washington and Madison Counties are the best for farming purposes in Illinois. The land in the first named is richer and more productive probably than any in the State.

MR. W. C. STEIGERS

Will call on merchants wishing to contract for advertising in POST-DISPATCH. Telephone 354.

THE GAS PROBLEM.

A NEW COMMITTEE WILL TAKE IT UP TO-MORROW AT THE CITY HALL.

Valuable Franchises Given Away Without Corresponding Considerations—The Comptroller Suggests a Uniform Rate for Street-Car Companies — Children Released From the House of Refuge—Free Water—Municipal Matters.

To-morrow the joint committee of the Council and House of Delegates on the gas investigation will meet at 2 p. m., at the Council Chamber, to organize for the inquiry. The committee is composed of Messrs. Blakely and Metcalfe of the Council and Messrs. Murphy, Mohan and Pohlman of the House. The question which is submitted to them is concerning the feasibility of the city operating the gas-works after the expiration of the contracts of the St. Louis and Laclede Cos. with the city in 1890. Chairman Blakely is of the opinion that the city can only secure the best terms by entering into the field as a competitor. The committee will probably be in session but a short time. The result of its deliberation will probably be a recommendation that a bill be passed authorizing the Mayor and Comptroller and the President of the Board of Public Improvements to receive bids for establishing a gas-works of a suitable capacity. City Counselor Bell has decided that there is no legal impediment to the execution of this plan. The committeemen have already received figures from other cities, on which they base their recommendation. The valuation of the Philadelphia Gas-works in 1885 was over $20,000,000, with an accumulation of $2,500,000 in a sinking fund from the sale of gas after expending $750,000 for improvements and repair. The city consumed $480,000 worth of gas for which no returns were made. Such showings as this convince the committeemen that St. Louis should at the earliest opportunity take charge of the manufacture of gas.

Franchises and Their Prices.

The Southern Railway Co., running to South St. Louis from the intersection of Market and Sixth streets, is preparing to bond the road for the purpose of raising funds to pay for a change of motor power. To improve the chances of disposing of the bonds the company has just had introduced into the Municipal Assembly a bill extending the franchise for fifty years. The representatives of the road state that if the extension is granted the company will then make application for an overhead wire to operate an electric motor. In consideration for the rights and privileges sought the company agrees to pay the city $1,000 a year until 1909 and $2,000 a year thereafter until the expiration of the franchise. The introduction of this line and the proposition stated will probably be the occasion for bringing up a bill which has often been suggested, but never carried through successfully, viz.: to regulate the grant of franchises. At present one company pays $10,000 per annum for the rights it enjoys, while others granted equally valuable privileges pay the city little or nothing. On this subject Comptroller Campbell to-day said: "The only fair, sensible way to make uniform these considerations for franchises is to make the city a party to the investment by the surrender of parts of the streets and fix the return at a percentage on the net earnings. Under such a franchise granted the Northern Central Railway over $6,000 was returned for less than seven months."

Released From the Refuge.

Acting Mayor Allen to-day released from the House of Refuge Jos., Julia and Albert Kessler, who were recently committed by their mother. They were released to an older sister, who agreed to take charge of them. They had been surrendered on account of their mother's inability to support them since their abandonment by their father.

Free Water.

The bill introduced by Delegate Stone, authorizing the Assessor and Collector of Water Rates to furnish water free of charge to educational and charitable institutions will if passed cut down the revenue of that department considerably. At the present rate of increase the the receipts of this department will soon amount to a round million a year. The bill if passed at will probably be altered considerably, and the provision made to apply only to charitable institutions.

REAL ESTATE.

Prices Obtained To-Day at a Commissioner's Sale of Property.

A commissioner's sale of the remaining property formerly owned by N. H. Benton and recorded under judgment by the heirs of George Pomeroy, a son of the senior member of the old firm of Pomeroy & Benton, was conducted at the east door of the Court-house to-day by the auctioneers, Lanham & Sutton. To-day's sale pertained exclusively to property within the city limits, the most important of the Benton property lying in St. Louis County having been sold at auction some time ago, the bulk of it, the famous Benton farm having been bought at that time by Hon. W. F. Morrison, chaplain in the United States Navy, the husband of Julia Pomeroy, who with her sister Jessie, inherits the estate of their brother George, who at the time of his death was the only surviving son of the senior Pomeroy.

Following were the prices obtained to-day: A 50x182 foot lot at the corner of an alley on Whittemore place, within half a block of Lafayette Park, at $52 a foot, to Andrew Thri; three lots on the south side of Whittemore place, extending east from Jefferson avenue, at $51 a foot, to the same buyer; four lots of 50 feet each on Grand avenue, near California, at $33 a foot, to W. F. Morrison; one at $37 in the same locality to Henry Wollbrinck, and another at $40, to Thomas J. Rowe at $40 a foot.

Three lots of fifty foot each at the rear of the Grand avenue lots fronting on Car Line avenue, were sold at $20.50 per foot to S. E. Freund. A tract of 21 65-100 acres of ground in the Des Peres Valley adjoining the Benton farm was purchased by W. F. Morrison at $76 an acre. Another piece 16 72-100 acres in the same vicinity was purchased by W. F. Broadhead at $71 an acre, and a half-acre piece near by was purchased by W. F. Morrison for $85.

Terry & Scott sold a 25x128-foot lot on the south side of Caroline avenue, between Ohio and California avenues, for $900. This ground, owned by the Christ's Church congregation, was sold to Wm. Steitemier.

A SLICK SCHEME.

The Manner in Which Francis Benjamin "Worked" the Wholesale Grocers.

A warrant for fraud was issued this morning against Francis Benjamin, alias O'Brien, who was arrested yesterday afternoon by Detectives Fitzgerald and McGrath. The warrant charges him with defrauding N. K. Fairbank & Co., soap and lard dealers, out of $138. Benjamin, who kept a small grocery at No. 3011 Olive street, has the reputation of being a systematic wholesale grocery fraud, the police state. His scheme of operations is described to be this: He would purchase large quantities of groceries from wholesale dealers, and after receiving the goods in the name of Benjamin would transfer them by the alley in the rear of the store to a warehouse, where under the name of O'Brien he would sell the goods in job lots. He misled the wholesale houses by misrepresenting his financial condition to the Dun Commercial agency, which rated him high. Last Monday he made an assignment, just after purchasing $133 worth of soap from Fairbank & Co. Benjamin, it is alleged, swindled Brookmeyer, Rankin & Co. out of over $600; David Nicholson out of $125; Gressley, Burnham & Co. out of a small amount, and also various other concerns out of more or less.

Royal Arch Masons.

The Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of Missouri met this morning in annual session at the Masonic Hall, Seventh and Market streets. Dr. R. Barney of Chillicothe, Grand High Priest, presided. Reports were received from standing committees and adopted. This afternoon officers were elected. Wm. B. Wilson of Cape Girardeau, Grand High Priest; L. P. Wood, New London, Deputy Grand High Priest, and James Austin, St. Louis, Grand King.

THE CAPTURE OF CAMP JACKSON.

Gen. Lyon Post Will Celebrate the 10th of May This Evening.

Gen. Lyon Post, No. 2, G. A. R., will celebrate at Koerner's Garden this evening the capture of Camp Jackson, which was one of the most exciting events in St. Louis at the outbreak of the war. The city was Republican by reason of the heavy German vote, while the State was intensely Democratic and favored slavery, so that between the "Black Jagers" of Republicanism and the "Minute Men" of Democracy, everything was ripe for an outbreak. Companies were organized and drilled by night, money was raised and armor purchased and each side took every precaution to protect itself from the supposed dangers that beset it. St. Louis was in this chaotic condition of affairs, naturally regarded as a military point of great importance, the holding of which would be of incalculable value to the party in power. The United States Government held the arsenal which became the bone of contention between the Unionists and the States Rights men, each faction regarding the other with a jealous eye. It was urged on the other hand that the arsenal should be afforded every protection, and Capt. Lyon was appointed commander at the post. Later, on April 20, 1861, Capt. Lyon was permitted by President Lincoln to enroll 10,000 men. Some time after Gov. Jackson had refused to aid in mustering troops for the protection of the Union, tents were pitched on the space loosed between Grand and Garrison avenues and between Laclede and Washington avenues and the encampment became known as Camp Jackson. Arms and ammunition were later delivered, having been brought up by steamer from New Orleans, and it was then that the capture of the camp by the Unionists was first agitated. Gen. D. M. Frost was in command at the camp and, learning that an attack was meditated, protested in a letter to Capt. Lyon, which was not heeded. Lyon on May 10 marched against the camp with about seven thousand men, and Gen. Forest, who claimed to have some 635 militia under him, concluded to surrender. This was done, but the populace becoming excited a riot ensued, in which the troops fired upon the people and many were killed and injured. The day was celebrated for many years after the war, but has gradually been almost forgotten.

AMONG THE BROKERS.

A Dull Market—Stocks Sold and Prices Obtained To-Day.

Frisco was in great demand and sold fairly, but other stocks were exceedingly sluggish. Transfers were few and prices generally low.

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A telegram was received this morning from the Frisco to the effect that the vein was widening, and a larger percentage of gray copper was found in the ore. This report caused the stock to sell freely on the curb, opening with transfers of 500 shares at $2, and 700 shares at $2.02½; 300 shares brought $2.07½, and 100 shares $2.10. On 'Change a reaction set in, the stock dropping to $1.97½, at which figure 500 shares were disposed of. It afterward rose to $4, at which more than 3,000 shares were sold.

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One thousand San Pedro sold at 50 and 500 at 51¼. A letter was received from the mine, stating that there was now no doubt that it was a true fissure.

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Central Silver opened with a sale of 500 shares at 67½, but rapidly dropped; 200 shares brought 65; 200, 62½; 300, 60, and 700, 55, the closing price.

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West Granite opened at 57½, 200 shares changing hands, dropped to 56½, at which 1,000 shares sold, and closed with a transfer of 500 shares at 55.

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Two hundred Golden Era brought $1.02½; Jumbo was 25 bid; 13¾ was offered for Legal Tender; 500 Rena brought 23¾; Black Oak was offered at 76¼; 75 was bid for Pat Murphy; 500 Mascotte sold at 85; Cleveland was 10 bid; 35 was offered for Silver Age; 300 I. X. L. sold at 40; 21¼ was bid for Concepcion; 500 Cariboo brought 47½.

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A. B. W. Hodges, a graduate of the Washington University, has been appointed Superintendent of the Deep Down mine. The hoisting machinery at this mine is now in place and the mill will start up on the 15th of May.

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Capt. John W. Plummer and Mr. Charles Clark left last night for Montana. The annual election of the Bi-Metallic takes place on the 15th, and that of the Granite Mountain on the 16th, both in Montana.

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The Neath recently shipped a carload of selected ore, which yielded $43 a ton.

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A meeting of the stockholders of the Silver Age will be held at the Mercantile Club on Saturday next at 3 p. m.

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The scheme for establishing a Mining Exchange in this city has met with universal favor and it is stated that the plan will be carried into effect within two months at the farthest. A meeting was held yesterday afternoon, and a committee to draft a constitution and rules appointed. A meeting of this committee was held this afternoon, when the matter was thoroughly discussed, and a preliminary draft of a constitution drawn up. The rules of the ex change will be very strict, especially in regard to bogus sales, which will not be allowed under any circumstances. An initiation fee of $250 will probably be charged, and the annual dues at $100. A room in the vicinity of the Merchants' Exhange will be rented and handsomely fitted up. The committee will submit their report on Wednesday next, when definite action will be taken.

A FATAL ENCOUNTER.

Officer Martin Nolan of Chicago Shot Down by Toughs.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 10.—Officer Martin Nolan of the Twenty-second Street Station was shot in several places and fatally wounded at an early hour this morning, by two members of the notorious Mollie Mott gang of housebreakers. Four members of the gang were quarreling in the Mott house and three shots were fired. The officer hearing the reports ran up and demanded to know what was the matter. No answer was given, but a moment later two men came out of a side door and started toward Purple street. Nolan attempted to stop them, when both commenced firing at him, putting six bullets into his limbs and body, after which they made good their escape. The officer managed to drag himself to the patrol box on the corner and turn in an alarm. Neither of his assailants has been captured.

A Heavy Fine.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WARRENSBURG, Mo., May 10.—The case of the State against John and Sanford Gleen, which has been in the Johnson County Criminal Court for about a year, was decided this morning. The defendants, who were charged with felonious assault on the person of J. W. Kenyon, were assessed a fine of $100 each and costs.

North St. Louis.

Isaac Ratnige, a Polish ragpicker, was arrested this morning by Officer McGrath for stealing some wares from Charles Finkelstein of No. 711 Biddle street.

There were but sixteen cases in the Second District Police Court this morning. Elijah Wilson was fined $10 for disturbing the peace; Lizzie Ferguson, $25 for improper conduct; John Allen, $5 for playing ball on the street; Sylvester Miller, $3 for being drunk on the street, and William Johnson, $5 for lounging.

At 11:50 o'clock to-day a fire broke out in the kitchen of a restaurant kept by James Robinson, colored, at No. 809 Christy avenue. It was caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove which the cook attempted to fill without turning off the blaze. The furniture and utensils were damaged to the extent of $50, while about $200 damage was done to the building, which belongs to John Mumford.

William Cordell, formerly an agent for the Gleason & Bailey Manufacturing Co. of Chicago, has brought suit before Justice Harmon for $60 due him as commission on sales made for the company. The firm manufactures blowing-machines for use in blacksmith shops, and Cordell sold a number of them in this city. Several of the purchasers have been garnisheed for the money they owe to the manufacturing company.

IN RUINS.

The Beautiful St. Paul Cathedral at Buffalo, N. Y., Destroyed This Morning.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 10.—This morning was decidedly a sensational and disastrous one in Buffalo. A number of explosions of natural gas occurred almost simultaneously, caused as supposed, by an overpressure, and created widespread excitement besides destroying the finest church in Buffalo and doing other damage. St. Paul's Cathedral, the pride and glory of Buffalo, is in ruins, the entire interior is burned out, the roof is gone, but the strong stone walls and graceful spire remain. At 9:20 o'clock flames were seen bursting out of the fine stained glass windows of the church at the junction of Main and Erie streets, and instantly most of the interior was a mass of flames. An explosion had occurred in the basement, the furnace being supplied with natural gas, and the force was so great as to tear off and blow out the heavy doors on the Erie and Pearl street side. People ran to see what was the matter and a few entered the vestibule of the church only to be

DRIVEN OUT BY THE FLAMES.

An alarm was at once turned in, to which the Fire Department quickly responded, but when arrived nothing could be done to save the interior of the stately edifice, as the flames were bursting from every window. Streams were quickly brought to bear with but little effect, and the fire in a few moments had reached the heavily timbered room. In half an hour from the time of discovery, the interior of the noble church was completely destroyed. The fire was undoubtedly caused by an explosion of natural gas, as no smoke or sign of fire were seen until the great doors were blown into the street. The Rev. Dr. Brown retires from the rectorship next month to assume charge of St. Thomas' Church, New York. The church was valued at about $250,000. Insurance on building, $55,000; about $3,000 on the memorial windows and about $2,500 on the organ.

Meters in Nos. 6 and 10 station-houses were blown out, but no other special damage was done. Small explosions also occurred in residences of Mrs. Judge Sheldon, Main street; Harry Hamlin, Lawyer Perkins, George J. Sicard on North street and Mr. Goodyear, but no one has been reported injured.

Natural Gas Explosion.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 10.—At 9 o'clock this morning an explosion of natural gas occurred in the kitchen of R. V. Pierce's hotel, 663 Main street. The gas was turned off, but for some unaccountable reason a second explosion occurred at 9:15, which shattered windowpanes and smashed things generally. Michael Brunnman, of Engine and Ladder No. 1, was quite seriously hurt about the forehead. The greatest excitement prevailed among the hundreds of lady clerks and employes for a time, but no one was injured. Loss estimated at $1,000.

Lumber Yard Burned.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 10.—Fire which started in the lumber yards of J. H. Pierson, Thirty-eighth and Laurel streets, early this morning, destroyed an immense quantity of lumber besides four dry kilns and a planing-mill, all belonging to the firm. Loss $50,000.

BROUGHT GOOD PRICES.

The Sale of Chin & Morgan's Entire Breeding Stud.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 10.—The disposal of Chin & Morgan's entire breeding stud commenced this morning with a fine attendance at Treary & Wilson's stable in this city. The great stallion Leonatus, by Long fellow, dam Semperfelix, by Pharton, was the first animal sold. P. A. Brady of Chicago started him for $2,500, which bid was followed by one from Milton Young of $3,000. At this bids of $150 each were made by the latter, Clay & Woodford, Runnymede stud, and R. Roche of St. Louis. The sale advanced until $5,300 was reached, at which figures he was knocked down to Clay & Woodford. The best sales besides Leonatus were: Bobadilla (dam of Carnegie), b. m. 13, by Bonnie Scotland, dam Blondin, by Commodore, to James Murphy of Lexington, for $700. Bonnie May (dam Blue Lodge) Royal Arch, ch. m. 20, by Bonnie Scotland, dam by Glenco, to J. Starks, Frankfort, Ky., $925. Effie C. (dam of Arnella H.) b. m. 9, by Buckden, dam Grace Darling, by Hiawatha, G. W. Scroggins, Louisville, $1,000. Catherine S., b. m., 6, by Mortimer, dam Nutwood Ward, by Lexington, H. J. Embry, Louisville, $1,025. Patsy Jones, ch. m. 8, by Baxter, dam Phasma, dam of Wallensee, W. P. Keegan, Louisville, $800.75.

Flora L., b. m. 5, by Longfellow, dam Vexation, by John Morgan, W. H. May, Lexington, $925. Jennie McKinney, dam of Buccaneer and Omana, imp. 19, by Planet, dam Volga by Glencoe, T. Sellers, Windom, Ky., $925. Jessie Bryant, dam of Waddell Bryant, b. m. 16, by Uncle Vic, dam Mamona by Sovereign, F. E. Corrigan, Louisville, $950; La Belle N, br. m., 8, by Reform, dam Megard, by Eclipse; Clay & Woodford, Runnymede Stud, Kentucky; $1,050.

Mattie S., bay mare, 5, by Billet; dam Jaconet, by Lexington; W. L. Simmons, Lexington; $2,600. Total sale this morning eighteen head, for $14,345; average, $797.

AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

Important Business Transacted—The Election of New Officers.

CINCINNATI, O., May 10.—At the opening of the Medical Association to-day the secretary read a series of resolutions adopted by the Arkansas State Medical Association, which in the strongest possible terms denounced quackery and the journals, and especially the religious journals, who sold their advertising space to quacks and humbugs calling themselves physicians. The paper was applauded. Dr. J. B. Hamilton, from the Nominating Committee, made the following report, which was adopted: President, W. D. Dawson, Cincinnati; First Vice-President W. L. Schenck, Kansas; Second Vice-President; Frank Woodbury, Pennsylvania; Third Vice-President, H. C. Walker, Michigan; Fourth Vice-President, J. W. Bailey, Georgia; Treasurer, R. J. Dunlinson, Pennsylvania; Secretary, W. B. Atkinson, Pennsylvania; Librarian, C. H. A. Kleinschmidt, Washington, D. C.

Trustees—E. M. Moore, New York; John H. Hollister, Illinois; Jos. M. Tower, District of Columbia.

Judicial Council—W. A. Phillips, Kansas; A. M. Pollock, Pennsylvania; U. C. Vaniber, Maryland; J. F. Hibbard, Indiana; Charles S. Wood, New York; J. McF. Gaston, Georgia; W. H. O. Taylor, New York; George S. Porter, Connecticut, Newport, R. I., was chosen for the next place of meeting in June of next year. Dr. E. M. Moore of Rochester, N. Y., read a comprehensive paper on "General Surgery."

Fort Hancock.

CINCINNATI, O., May 10.—It has been determined to raise Newport Barracks to a new dignity. As the historic locality is now to be abandoned, and the new site lies on the heights overlooking Newport, it has been determined to make it a resting-place for troops that have been in active duty. The new location will be named Fort Hancock, and it will be sufficient to accommodate two regiments. That number of troops will probably be kept here all the time.

Belleville.

The Democrats of Collinsville have organized a club, with Judge Collins, President, and Mr. James Bluhm Secretary.

Rev. Budde, assistant rector at Olney, has been appointed second assistant at St. Peters' Cathedral, and will arrive here next week.

William Smith, an employe of the Western Nail Mill Co., was unloading steel rails yesterday, when one of them fell on his leg and caused a compound fracture.

Mrs. Albertina Gummersheimer has begun suit for divorce from her husband, Jacob Gummersheimer, a well known school teacher. She alleges cruel treatment and desertion. They were married April 10, 1884.

The Cleveland Club meets to-night at the Academy of Music. The Young Men's Democratic Club meets at the same place to-morrow evening, and County Central Committee meets at the Court-house in Belleville Saturday afternoon.

John Winshaer was elected President, and the following gentlemen members of the Board of Trustees of New Swansea yesterday: Adolph Miller, John Joffray, P. M. Gundlach and Wm. Althoff. Gustav Neuman was elected Police Magistrate.

THE RAILROADS.

The Atchison's Showing—New Railroad Projects — General News.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

BOSTON, Mass., May 10.—The annual report of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad for 1887 shows: Gross earnings, $18,461,866; net earnings, $8,652,911; total surplus, including net profits of Atchison Land Department, $722,155, after deducting $305,955 for sinking funds paid in 1887, which decreased the company's indebtedness by reducing the amount of bonds previously outstanding. These figures show an increase over the previous year in gross earnings of $2,477,609 and an increase in net earnings (deducting taxes) of $282,515. The report says: "The light crops harvested the latter part of the summer and fall of 1887, the competition for business accompanied, as is usual, by a serious decline in the rates obtained and the insufficiency of the company's rolling stock (which to a considerable extent was employed on construction work) to move the business offered—all these causes combined to make a serious reduction in the usual increased earnings of the company for the second half as compared with the first half of the year, so that while in the year 1886 the earnings for the last half were $9,042,069, against $6,941,387 for the first six months in 1887, the earnings of the last half of the year were only $9,389,731, against $9,091,635 for the first half. It is satisfactory to know that although, owing to the causes named, the earnings for the year did not come up to expectations, yet the volume of the business, notwithstanding the competition of additional mileage, has shown a large increase, arising chiefly from business received from the Atchison & Southern Kansas and from the new auxiliary lines."

Board of Trade Action.

NEW YORK, May 10.—At the meeting of the New York Board of Trade yesterday a communication was read from the Peoria (Ill.) Board of Trade on the subject of the "long and short haul clause" in the interstate commerce law. It was referred to the Committee on Railroads. A resolution was adopted commending the State Legislature for earnest advocacy of the bill for improving the State canals. Resolutions were likewise adopted recommending cheaper postage and more liberal compensation to American steamships for carrying the mails. The Brundage tax bill came up for censure of the body.

Resolutions were adopted declaring that the passage of this bill would revolutionize the present system of taxation and drive manufacturing establishments from the State.

That it is a revival of the inquisitorial and objectionable principle of the old income tax. The Board of Trade protested against its passage.

New Securities Listed.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The governors of the New York Stock Exchange, at their regular meeting yesterday afternoon, admitted the new Texas Pacific securities to the regular list. The Chesapeake & Ohio Reorganization Committee's engraved receipts for currency bonds were also listed. The following new securities, aggregating $11,690,000, were listed: West Virginia Central & Pittsburg Western Railway, $1,650,000 gold bonds; Mahoning Coal Railroad Co., $1,875,000 common and $400,000 preferred stock; New York, Ontario & Western, $450,000 additional first mortgage bonds; Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, $7,000,000 additional stock; St. Louis & San Francisco, $599,000 additional first mortgage bonds, and Iowa City & Western, $128,000 additional first mortgage bonds.

The Missouri Pacific Extension.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

BOONVILLE, Mo., May 9.—The road-bed of the Missouri Pacific extension has been completed to a connection with the track of the Tipton branch of the Missouri Pacific in this city and track-laying was commenced yesterday and will be pushed from both ends of the line in this county. Bagnell Bros. are superintending the laying of the track in person, Robert Bagnell at the Saline County end and Wm. Bagnell here. The latter says the work will be completed within a few days.

The Omaha & St. Louis.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

STANBERRY, Mo., May 10.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Omaha & St. Louis Railway Co. will be held in this city May 15. The meeting was to have been held March 13, last, but was deferred on account of the illness of President McKissock. It is probable the question of connection with the Quincy, Omaha & Kansas City at Trenton will be discussed at this meeting.

CASUALTIES.

Fatal Collision at La Salle, Ill.—A Harrowing Case of Cremation.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

LASALLE, Ill., May 10.—A wreck occurred early yesterday morning on the Rock Island road, about a half mile west of this city, a switch engine and a freight train colliding. Seven box cars were piled up, telescoped and knocked into kindling wood. When the debris was cleared away it was found that three unknown tramps were underneath, one of whom was horribly mangled, his head being crushed and one foot torn off, the other gashed and cut with fatal injuries. The Coroner has impaneled a jury, and will investigate. The evidence developed the fact that the crew of the switch engine were to blame, but as the men had no business in the cars no arrests were made.

A Harrowing Case of Cremation.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 10.—A special to the *Daily News* from Anderson, Ind., says: A most harrowing case of cremation occurred in Vanburn Township, near Summitville, last night, in which Enoch McMahon, one of the most prominent and substantial farmers of Madison County, and his farm hand, named Treat, lost their lives. Mr. McMahon's fine residence was discovered to be in flames, but by the time help was too far gone to be saved, and the remains of the unfortunate victims perishing in the flames greeted the spectators. In the evening Mr. McMahon's daughter built a fire in the stove and went to church. During her absence the fire communicated in some unknown way to the house and caused its destruction. McMahon and Treat were asleep, and it is supposed were suffocated by the smoke. The loss is about $1,500. At the time of his death Mr. McMahon was 70 years old and quite wealthy.

Fatally Injured.

PADUCAH, Ky., May 10.—A carding machine in Tress & Carr's woolen mill flew to pieces, yesterday, while running at a high rate of speed, fatally injuring Sidney Peters and R. G. Treas, one of the owners of the mill.

Obituary.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

SALISBURY, Mo., May 10.—"Uncle" George W. Moore, the oldest citizen of this (Christian) county, died this morning at 2 o'clock, at the residence of his youngest son, Dr. T. J. Moore of this city, in his 94th year. Deceased was born in North Carolina and came to this State 56 years ago, and had been a member of the Christian Church for about seventy-five years. He was the father of ten children.

MONTICELLO, Ill., May 10.—The funeral of Wm. M. Dewees took place to-day, and was conducted by the G. A. R. Elder Lemon delivered the address. Mr. Dewees was 70 years of age, and one of the early settlers of Illinois.

Carondelet Jottings.

Mrs. Michael Judd, returned yesterday from a lengthy visit through the Southern States.

Harvey Hamilton, colored, had his right foot crushed this morning at the pig iron-works by a bar of iron falling on it. He was removed to his residence on Water street, near Primm.

In Justice Meegan's Court this morning, Gustave Eckenberger was fined $25 by default on a charge of disturbing the peace. The case against Patrick Ryan for disturbing the peace was continued generally.

John Mulligan, night watchman of Engine and Chemical Engine Company No. 2, was retired from active duty as such by the officers of the Fireman's Relief Association yesterday on account of sickness. Ed Murphy of No. 2 was appointed in his stead.

The members of the Washington Literary Club were handsomely entertained last evening by Miss Lucretia Davis at her residence, 5013 Minnesota avenue. A literary and musical entertainment was given by the members of the club. The affair terminated with an excellent repast. Among those present were Misses Lucretia Davis, Emma Walbel, Lou McCormick, May Billick, Nettie Knight and Agnes Quarkies; also, Messrs. George H. Davis, Sol C. Martin, Hugh Murray, Fred Kilpatrick, John Moder, Frank Chabel and Wm. Kilpatrick.

SOLID FOR CLEVELAND.

Conventions in Maryland, Michigan and Tennessee to Select Delegates.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 10.—The Democratic State Convention was called to order at Ford's Opera-house by Hon. Stevenson Archer, Chairman of the

SPORTING.

NEWS GLEANED ON THE BALL FIELDS AND RACE TRACKS OF THE COUNTRY.

A Chapter About "Rough" Ball Playing and Some Stories About Tony Mullane as a Professor of the Art—The Browns Leaders in the American Association—The Louisville Jockey Club—Sporting Gossip and Chat.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 10.—The interest in the coming meeting of the Jockey Club is increasing daily. The grounds are in perfect order, and fully six hundred horses will take part in the sport. Chevalier's success over Macbeth and Autocrat has made people more at sea than ever, and the walk-over by W. S. Barnes' entry in the Blue Ribbon at Lexington increases the confidence of his friends as to the ability of Gallifet or The Lion to win the Derby stake. Betting at Memphis and Nashville was immense, and the greater attractions at Louisville, where the cracks from all sections meet for the first time in the racing year, point to increased wagering on all the notable events. Col. Clark yesterday decided to have the field free as usual on Derby day. The people expected it, and although some twenty thousand people will witness the race from the free field, the Kentuckian has come to think that this day he has a right to do so and great is the rejoicing in the city among all classes. Parties and excursions from every section are being organized, and with good weather Derby day, with four great races on the card, will furnish the best sport ever seen upon the Churchill Downs.

Bookmakers Hot.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 10.—The Association of Western Bookmakers last night unanimously resolved not to accept Col. Clark's terms for the betting privileges at Louisville. They further resolved to expel any members who should go on at Louisville and to refuse admission to any non-member who should make a book there. That means open war between the bookmakers and the Louisville Jockey Club.

Declared Out.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 10.—The following are the declarations out of the Oakwood Handicap, due May 1, and received to date: Jim Gray, Sailor Boy, Aberdeen, Van Leland, Omaha, Housatonic and Contraband, seven in all, leaving eighty-five which have accepted the weights assigned them. The declarations out of the great Western Handicap are Punks, Bonanza and Lorrington, three in all, leaving fifty-six which have accepted the weights assigned them.

On the Turf.

Yesterday's races at Lexington were won as follows: By Lela May in the one mile; by French Park in the 2-year-olds; by Clawood in the 3-year-olds, mile and a quarter; by Barrister in the handicap, mile and a sixteenth; by Red Stone in the one mile.

At the Pimlico course Charlie won the three-quarters; Defaulter the one mile; Buddhist the half mile; Lelgros the mile and an eighth; Paymaster the one mile.

Gallifet Causes a Sensation.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 10.—The Derby candidate, Gallifet, worked a mile and a half this morning with McCarty in the saddle in 2:36½. He was plated, it is said, and had his weight up. His stable companion, Alexandria, which is also entered in that race, covered a mile and a quarter in 2:10. Gallifet's work has created a decided sensation. Those who witnessed the performance are of the opinion that if he reaches the post in his present form the race is at his mercy.

"ROUGH" BALL PLAYING.

A Couple of Stories About Tony Mullane in This Connection.

The dispatches from Cincinnati state that there was considerable "rough" or "dirty" ball playing in the contest between the Browns and Cincinnatis at Porkopolis yesterday. Lyons collided with Carpenter at third, while the Brown Stocking was running to that base, the result being that "Hick" was knocked senseless, and Lyons scored. This, all accounts agree, was entirely an accident, due to young Lyons' eagerness, and anybody who knows the relative size and weight of Carpenter and Lyons, knows that the latter would never attempt to "do" Carpenter. But later in the game Tony Mullane, who has always had the reputation of being a "dirty" ball player, attempted to injure McGarr at second, and came very near doing so. No excuse can be offered for Mullane in this matter, because his reputation in this regard is known. During the only game that Mullane did not pitch against the Browns in the series of four a couple of weeks ago at Sportsman's Park, Tony was seated among the spectators in the stand. The Browns made a triple play during the game, and Mullane said, loud enough to be heard: "You bet we wouldn't have done that if I were running to the base. I'd have given him my spikes in the stomach." His threat was directed at Latham, who began the triple play by catching the runner coming to that bag. Mullane has made for the reputation of a "killer." In the old days, before fines and suspensions by the year frightened ball players into something like decency, batsmen were afraid to face his pitching. The man who made a two-base hit on Mullane was sure to be punched in the head or body with the ball the next time he stepped to the bat. That was Mullane's way of "getting even." St. Louisans remember very well the day he knocked Joe Gerhardt senseless at Sportsman's Park in this way. Joe was the second baseman for Louisville and Tony was pitching for St. Louis. Joe had previously made a hit and the next time he came to bat Mullane "gave it to him." He was carried unconscious from the field, lay in a stupor all night at the St. James Hotel, did not recover playing form for weeks and has had spinal trouble ever since as a result of that blow in the back. Ball players all know that Mullane's trick of hitting batters was the principal reason why the rule was made giving a base to a batter who is struck by a pitched ball. The rule had to be made to protect batters from Mullane and one or two feeble imitators.

How They Stand.

To-day, with the Browns in the lead, the three leading clubs' standing is as follows:

CLUBS.	Games Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
St. Louis	14	10	4	.714
Cincinnati	16	12	4	.705
Brooklyn	15	10	5	.666

Both Home Clubs Won.

The Browns, after getting a lead of four runs in the first inning in yesterday's game with Cincinnati, nearly lost it by allowing the reds legs to run in three runs in the sixth and four in the seventh. But the Browns managed to tie the score in the eighth and win in the ninth. The final score was 8 to 7. Mullane and King pitched. Seven hits were made off each.

At Sportsman's yesterday Staley gave another exhibition of fine pitching, giving the St. Pauls but three hits. The Whites made five runs out of ten hits, their opponents scoring but two runs.

Games Elsewhere.

Association—At Louisville: Louisvilles, 18; Kansas Cityes, 6. At Philadelphia: Brooklyns, 5; Athletics, 3.

League—At Chicago: Chicagos, 13; Washingtons, 2. At Pittsburg: Phillies, 2; Pittsburgs, 1. At Indianapolis: New Yorks, 18; Indianapolis, 4. At Detroit: Bostons, 18; Detroits, 6.

Western Association—At Omaha: Omahas, 2; Chicago Maroons, 0. At Kansas City: Kansas City, 8; Minneapolis, 2.

NOTES ON THE GAMES.

O'Neill made three of the Browns' seven hits yesterday.

The Washingtons tried Greening, their new pitcher, but when Chicago had knocked out 9 runs in the first two innings they concluded he wasn't a success.

Gleason, the kid pitcher of the Phillies in the seven-inning game, held the Pittsburgs down to three hits. In the sixth inning, with two men on bases, he struck out Dunlap, ernswhile "the great."

Ewing pitched the last five innings for the New Yorks and only three runs were made off him.

The Associated Press says that Mike Kelly tried hard to beat the Bostons, but this is not easy to understand in view of the fact that he made four hits, one a three-bagger, leading the nine with the stick and making but one error. But then probably a $10,000 man should be infallible.

Billy Gleason lost yesterday's game for the Athletics by making three errors.

Munson on Tariff Reform.

Secretary Munson unloads his mind on the base ball tariff reform cranks as follows: "There is one point which those who object to the 50-cent tariff do not take into consideration; that is, the American Association is playing under the percentage system this year, and the home club pays the visiting team 15 cents on each admission above twenty-five tickets. If the admission were reduced to 25 cents, the home team would receive 10 cents on each admission, and at the end of the season would come out $50,000 at the short end. There is method in some madness, but under this arrangement the increase in lunacy would be too strong for the asylums."

Diamond Doings.

The world's champions play at Cincinnati to-day and to-morrow.

The Browns moved up into first place yesterday, with their old time victorious sweep.

Since Murphy got his blue ribbon work in on the Louisvilles the Falls City nine is called the Murphys.

It looks very much as if the Browns have put on their seven-legged boots and turned their eyes toward the flag.

Radbourne has signed with Boston. It is understood he gets $5,000. The Hubites feared Clarkson would give out.

To-day's game with St. Pauls is the last the whites will play at home for ten days. They go to Kansas City to-morrow night.

The three leading batters of the League are Brouthers, .429; Thompson, .408; Kelley, .400. The latter, however, leads the whole League in total bases.

The Browns leave a week from yesterday for Baltimore. They stop over at Cincinnati en route and play yesterday's postponed game on May 17.

The coming games with Kansas City, which begin next Saturday, will be the last of the American Association championship games played in St. Louis till June 13.

If Brother Bill Gleason isn't careful his last year's sobriquet, "Mud Turtle Bill," will come back to him in Philadelphia and stick to him faster than he sticks to grounders.

O'Brien, left fielder for the Brooklyns, and O'Neill, left fielder for the St; Louis, are the only men in the Association who have played a perfect fielding game so far this season.

Scott Stratton, Louisville's pitcher, was a Sunday-school teacher in Taylorsville last summer. Whenever he pitches a number of his scholars come down to see the game.

Seven out of eight games with Louisville is not a bad record for the Browns. Some cranks want the Browns to capture every game they play, and then criticise them for doing it.

Kelly leads the Boston nine at the bat with an average of .400. He has made 20 hits in 13 games, with 36 total bases. If his average were computed on his total base record he would be out of sight of the rest of the nine.

The exchanges are going into ecstasies over the "World's champion" flag that floats in Detroit's sky. Are they aware a much more beautiful, and rumor says a far better warranted, flag similarly inscribed floats in St. Louis air?

The Kansas City games with the world's champions will commence on Saturday next. If the Browns capture three out of four with Rowe's aggregation, they will be in the lead by the time they leave for the East on the 16th of this month.

Fred Pfeffer saw a lady's hat blow off as she was walking on State street a few days ago. Another lady caught the hat. Instead of handing it to the owner, Fred, who saw the hat coming, took a position behind the other lady to back up the catch in case she muffed it. The position was so natural that several noticed it.—*Inter-Ocean.* Probably the lady got her back up, too.

Ed Knouff, who pitched such an excellent game against the Louisvilles last Sunday, has a greater diversity of curves, drops, inshoots, and other puzzling pitching points as his stock in trade than almost any other twirler living. All he needs is better command of the ball, which, by the way, he is gaining with considerable success.

In regard to the laying off of Ramsey, whom Murphy, the temperance apostle, could not keep straight, Manager Kelly of the Louisvilles says: "Hecker, Chamberlain and Stratton can do all the work, and Ramsey will not be needed as long as they hold out. Ramsey has no money, and therefore a fine has no terrors for him, so the only remedy is to lay him off."

Some of these star players will find out after a while that their bright twinkling is largely due to the constellation they are set in. With Bushong not missed, with Caruthers the "losing pitcher," and Foutz becoming a "yesterday's issue," it is time for Old Sol to arise and ask, "Boys, what I told you? The expression, 'der poss manager' means something, don't it?"

Dan Brouthers was fined $10 by Decker yesterday. It was in the sixth inning, when Brown had a very close shave at first and was declared safe. Dan questioned the decision. "His foot was on the base," said Decker. "No, it wasn't," said Dan. "You shut up," responded the umpire. "Won't do it," said Dan. "Ten dollars," said Decker. Painful silence.—[Detroit *Free Press.*

One of the secrets of Comiskey's success is his treatment of his men. He never humiliates a player on the field, no matter what blunder is made. On the contrary he encourages him with suggestions, but after the game he coolly leads the delinquent off in private and tells him he must brace up, keep cool and not make any more errors, or there will be heaps of trouble. In this way he keeps the good will of all his men.—[Boston *Globe.*

The Browns haven't a very fast grip as yet on first place, but if Caruthers is, as the Eastern papers say, the Brooklyn's losing pitcher—if Foutz is degenerating into a back-number twirler, and if Gleason continues to give away games as he did yesterday, the Browns will get a death grip on the pennant before they return from the East. Anyway, the Browns' admirers needn't be shaky about a club that can win seven out of eight games with such a strong team as the Louisvilles.

Robinson and King of the St. Louis Browns have entered the list for the *Inquirer* locket and Cincinnati Club's cash prize of $100 for the long-distance throwing championship. Both are wonderful good throwers and they will make all the others hustle to beat them. The entries now include Williamson of the Chicagos, Stovey of the Athletics, Reilly, Tebeau and Corkhill of the Cincinnatis, McTamany of the Kansas Cityes, Peoples of the Brooklyn and the two St. Louis men.—[Cincinnati *Enquirer.*

Just before the Chicago team left for home the other night at Pittsburg there was a lively scene in the hotel lobby. Pitcher Baldwin complained about Anson taking him out of the box and substituting Ryan. He said that only seven hits had been made off him, and there was no occasion for the change. Pfeffer, Williamson and all the other players sided with Baldwin, and Pfeffer went so far as to tell Anson he made queer breaks at times. Anson grew very indignant and said he would put a man in whenever he wanted. Baldwin was nearly heartbroken for being taken out of the box, for his best girl, parents, grandparents and nearly a score of relations and intimate friends were present. It is said that Anson has decided to make some change in his infield. Burns may be laid off.

The sensational event of the day was the manner in which Pete Conway was sent to grass. He was knocked out—not out of the box, but after the style of J. L. Sullivan's victims, and singularly enough it was a Boston boy that did it. It was in the second inning and Pete knocked a grounder toward third and beat it to first. Clarkson went after the ball and threw very swiftly to Morrill. The ball went close to Conway's head, and as Morrill reached forward to get it, either his elbow or shoulder came in violent collision with Pete's jugular and the speedy twirler lay down on the turf and kicked as hard as though he had been called out. It was a genuine Sullivan knock-out blow, and it was two or three minutes before he came to time. Fearing he had been seriously hurt, White and Bennett escorted him from the field and Gruber took his place on the base. Conway soon recovered from the effects of the blow and reappeared on the bench.—[Detroit *Free Press.*

The Little Diamond.

The Edwin Forrest Base Ball Club desire a game for next Sunday afternoon. Address 1526 North Spring avenue.

The Lindell Starswould like to hear from clubs under 14 years of age. Address challenges to Geo. Harrison, 1534 South Second street.

The Pearls have organized and would like to hear from all clubs 18 years old, the Marions and Crickets preferred. Address John Daumer, 13 South Sixth street.

The Little Jollies have organized for the season and would like to have a challenge for Sunday with nines whose players are of 15 years. Address Oscar Rummyer, 2028 North Tenth street.

The N. O. Nelson Manufacturing Co's. Base Ball Club has organized for the season and is now open for challenges for Saturday afternoons. Address J. L. Corby, care N. O. Nelson Manufacturing Co.

The Little Park Reds defeated the Morning Glories by a score of 48 to 36. The features of the game were the fielding of Pat Murphy and Jas. Carr. They would like to hear from the Everlastings. Address Dennis Clifford, manager, 1225 Market street.

The little Galvins have organized, with G. Keenan, captain; C. Carroll, c.; W. Moxley, p.; J. Fitzpatrick, c. f.; F. Fagan, s. s.; J. Lanigan, l. f.; W. Kelly, 1b.; J. Lanigan, 2b.; F. Arthur, 3b. All challenges will be received at 1231 Lucas avenue by C. C. Carroll.

The large boys of the Third Academy defeated the large boys of the Second Academy of the St. Louis University by a score of 27 to 0. They would like to hear from the future Browns of the Christian Brothers and from clubs under 16 years of age. Address all challenges to Henry Brantley, 1623 Olive street.

The Central Browns have organized for the season with the following players: T. Flynn, c.; G. Wetzel, p.; J. Durrk, 1b.; F. Dodge, 2b.; P. Weisl, 3b.; O. Right, s. s.; W. Else, l. f.; E. Comrades, c. f.; R. Crowley, r. f. They would like to hear from all clubs under 15 years of age. Address all challenges to J. Quirk, 1024 North Eighteenth street.

The Little Drummonds have organized for the season with the following players: W. Crane, c.; L. Walton, p.; J. Kenney, 1b.; B. J. Higgins, 2b.; T. Keller, s. s.; J. Morris, 3b.; W. Heade, r. f.; E. King, l. f.; W. Noonan, c. f. They would like to hear from all clubs whose members are under 14 years of age. Address all challenges to T. Kelley, 2934 Scott avenue.

The Tower Groves have organized for the season of 1888 with the following players: J. McLaughlin, c. and 3b.; T. Cantillou, p. and s. s.; P. Fossel, p. and s. s.; E. Pratt, 1b.; P. Millhaupt, 2b.; J. Schleichah, 3b.; C. Reppel, l. f.; L. Carr, c. f.; H. Daman, r. f. They would like to hear from clubs under 16 years of age. Address C. Repell, 4114 New Manchester road.

The Benton Juniors would like to have a game for Sunday with any nine whose players are under 16 on their grounds. They have the following players: Clegg, c.; Conrads, p.; Campbell, 1b.; Murray, 2b.; Anderson, 3b.; Sander, s. s.; Reed, l. f.; Kleinsmidt, c. f.; Bullett, r. f. Thomas Reed, manager. Send all challenges to Hugh Conrads, 510 Pine street, Room 524.

The Little Turners have organized a base ball club and will play any club under fourteen years of age. The players are: Albert Bath, c.; Joseph Pesch, p.; James Miller, 1b.; Frank Gempp, 2b. (captain); Eddie Aronson, 3b. (manager); George Fitzgerald, s. s.; William Cassidy, c. f.; Hermann Moss, l. f.; George Schumacher, r. f. Address challenges to Frank Gempp, 1127 Dolman street, St. Louis, Mo.

The Little Bitters have organized for the season with the following players and are willing to play any nine under 15 years of age: H. Sanders, c. f.; P. Tierney, p.; J. Maher, 1b.; J. Dunneman, 2b.; R. Evans, 3b.; A. Kraft, s. s.; C. O'Donnell, c. f.; J. Ley, r. f.; Jas. McCarmick, l. f. Address all challenges to Jas. McCarmick, 31 South Thirteenth street. They would like to hear from the Park Blues for a game for Sunday next.

Sporting Notes.

The magnificent Arabian stallion, Linden Tree, presented to Gen. Grant by the Sultan of Turkey in 1879, has been sold to Gen. T. W. Colby, Commander of the Nebraska National Guard, Lincoln, Neb.

Jimmy Larkin of New York, who recently won on a foul from Con Dugan in a fight in New York, is now looking after Ike Weir's scalp. Larkin has friends who will back him to whip Weir in a fight to a finish with small gloves and at 122 pounds.

The winners in last Saturday's bicycle road race, Messrs. Lewis and Smith, will be banqueted at the Lindell Saturday evening by their admirers in the Missouri Club. Those who will attend are requested to sign the notice on the club bulletin board.

W. A. Rowe, the Lynn cyclist, is matched to ride a fifteen-mile race at North Shields, England, with R. H. English, a local rider of ability. The race is to be for £25 a side.—[Exchange. Rowe ought to imitate the great John L. and come home. He has made a spectacle of himself.

W. Dall Groves, the well-known scientific local angler, has left for a three weeks' fishing trip on Culvver River. Mr. Groves is also quite an expert in amateur photograpy, and has taken his outfit with him for the purpose of showing to his acquaintances the most desirable spots along the river.

George Perkins, the ex-champion sculler of Great Britain, is at present in New South Wales, Australia. He recently wrote to an English friend that as soon as he recovered from a sprained ankle, it was his intention to challenge Peter Kemp, the conqueror of Hanlan, to a three-mile race for a large stake.

George Bubear, the English ex-champion, has been matched to row Charles Carr of Newcastle-on-Tyne for £100 a side. The race is to come off on the 26th inst. in best and best boats over the Tyne course, and Bubear is to receive £15 expenses from Carr. The race excites considerable interest among boating men in England.

The Philadelphia *Public Ledger* has this to say editorially of Hanlan's decadence: "Hanlan, the oarsman, for several years at the head of his occupation and noteworthy then for his uprightness, has evidently passed his prime, and with his decadence comes stories of attempts to foul his opponents, which, fortunately, did not succeed. He was a wonderful oarsman in his day, and is entitled to full credit for what he has done, though now it is apparent that there are half a dozen men in the world who can beat him. Supremacy in that as in other athletic sports, is partly a question of age, the younger man, if he be equally strong and skillful, having the advantage."

A MARRIED RASCAL PUNISHED.

Social Science Club Meeting—A Fatal Wound —Missouri Matters.

KANSAS CITY, May 10.—Frank Arlington, alias Harry Beaumont, was before the Criminal Court yesterday afternoon on the charge of obtaining $40 from a young girl under false pretenses. Arlington is married, but he had been courting the girl. The Judge severely censured him, and he was sentenced to thirty days in jail. The seventh annual meeting of the Social Science Club of Kansas and Western Missouri opened this morning at the Congregational Church. There is a large attendance.

COLUMBIA, May 10.—Allan Vewer, who was shot by Marshal Huitz, died yesterday afternoon. Huitz was out on bond, but was re-arrested.

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LYNCHERS FOILED.

An Obstinate Intruder Killed—Odenwood Acquitted—Arkansas Atoms.

CLARKSVILLE, May 10.—A mob yesterday tried to lynch George Crisp, who was brought here for trial on the charge of criminally assaulting the little daughter of W. P. Huddleston near Coal Hill. He was removed to Ozark on a night train. The Sheriff came in yesterday with Benjamin Partridge, who killed Frank Price with an axe on Tuesday afternoon. Price had been unduly attentive to Mrs. Partridge and her husband ordered him from the house. He refused to go, and wanted to fight his way in.

FORT SMITH, May 10.—At the second trial of Burrah Odenwood for the murder of his brother-in-law the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty. He was remanded to jail, however, to answer another charge of murder near Lebanon, Chickasaw Nation.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The decree placing Cuba in a state of siege is being used to overawe the Liberal party.

The railroad land grant forfeiture bill passed the Senate yesterday, as did the international copyright bill—35 to 10.

The National Association of Retail Lumber Dealers held its eleventh annual convention at Davenport, Io., yesterday.

Alexander Duckworth, a prisoner at Folsom, Colo., tried to run through the prison lines and was shot while attempting it.

Some unknown persons in one night carried off the entire saw mill of John Dougherty, which was situated near Oil City, Pa.

A cry of fire started a panic in a Mexican theater Tuesday night, but President Diaz arose in his box and restored order by telling the audience to keep their seats.

Charles R. Bachman, the Steward of the ship Brussels, who was convicted of trying to set the ship on fire, was sentenced at San Francisco yesterday to serve twenty-five years at San Quentin.

A soldier named Brown, while being taken to the guard-house at Fort Shaw, Mont., broke away from his guard and jumped down a bank twenty-five feet into the river and has not been heard of since.

It was decided at the Democratic Tariff Caucus of the House last night that all amendments to the Mills bill should be passed upon by the Democratic members of the Ways and Means Committee, who will report to another caucus.

The fourth man who undertook the rescue at Ravenna, O., which resulted in the death of Capt. Hoehne, has been discovered in a Georgia prison under the name of Wilson Palmer. His right name is Fowers. An effort will be made to bring him to Columbus, O., for trial.

MARY TROFF, Oak Grove, Wis., had tetter on her hands for three years, was cured with one box of Heiskell's Tetter Ointment.

WHILE John Barton, a carrier for the *Tribune*, was driving north on Broadway between Rutger and Hickory streets yesterday afternoon a stake wagon driven by an unknown man collided with his light rig and damaged it to the extent of $10.

MARCHING KNIGHTS.

The Templars, White and Colored, Attend Ascension Day Services.

The Knights Templars this afternoon had as large an Ascension Day turnout as they have had for some years. The six Commanderies were represented as fully as the demands of the business day allowed. When the procession moved from the Masonic headquarters at 2 o'clock it looked very pretty, with the unclouded sun playing brightly on the regalia and trappings. St. Louis No. 1 was there and so were Ascalon No. 16, St. Aldemar No. 18, Ivanhoe No. 8, Bernard de Tremlay No. 49 and Baldwin No. 50. St. Aldemar looked conspicuous, being mounted and turning out a good number of Knights. All participants were in full uniform and as they passed westward directly to St. George's Episcopal Church, they caused the busy workers along the route to pause in their labor to enjoy the pretty sight and catch a new inspiration for the rest of the day. At the church the services were conducted by Rev. Dr. R. A. Holland, rector, who preached a sermon of much strength and power on the meaning of the day.

The colored Knights at about the same time were also parading. They met at their hall on Fourth street and Washington avenue and marched to St. Paul's Methodist Chapel on Eleventh street and Christy avenue, where, in the presence of a large number of spectators, they filed into the spacious auditorium, which looked unusually gay with the decoration on the pew-holders. Rev. Dr. Schaefer, pastor, addressed them on an appropriate text for the day.

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IN SOCIETY.

Items of Interest Gathered in Local Social Circles To-Day.

Mrs. D. R. Francis has returned from a short visit to the country.

Miss Mary Aubuchon has returned from a visit to Crystal City.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Means Rhet arrived this morning from South Carolina.

Mrs. Samuel Hays and family will spend the summer on the New Jersey coast.

Mrs. Cozzens and her daughter, Miss Phoebe Cozzens, are in Washington City.

Mrs. Will Smith has returned from a visit to Mrs. F. W. Swearingen of Decatur, Ill.

Miss Emily Jacobs of Chicago is visiting Miss Celia Ledrick of 3309 Chestnut street.

Mrs. Jennie C. Thom and her son, Mr. Bertie Thom, are located at No. 3015 Lucas avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Joseph of the Southern Hotel have gone to Chicago for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Price have returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Price at Hannibal, Mo.

Miss Mattie Shackelford has arrived from Louisville, Ky., to visit her aunt, Mrs. Charles Thompson.

Miss Daisy Billon, who has been spending the past week with friends in the country, has returned home.

Mrs. Virginia Castleman is still with her son's family in the South, where her health is greatly improved.

Mrs. Wm. E. Ware of Washington avenue entertains this week the Friday afternoon Progressive Euchre Club.

Mrs. D. W. Shackelford, after spending ten days at the Laclede Hotel, has returned to her home at Boonville, Mo.

Mrs. D. L. Parker, after a pleasant visit with St. Louis friends, has returned to her home at Washington, Mo.

Mrs. Joseph Brewster has returned home after spending a couple of months with her father, Mr. Joseph Chuoute.

Mrs. L. M. Rumsey and Mrs. James Green accompanied their husbands last night on the excursion to Granite Mountain.

Miss Dora Taylor, who is spending a short time with her grandmother, Mrs. Gen. Pratt, goes to Virginia for the summer.

Mrs. Courtney H. West, who has been making a tour of Mexico and California, has returned to her home on Bell street.

Miss Lois Shaw, who has been spending several months with St. Louis friends, has returned to her home at Rolla, Mo.

Misses Georgie and Helen Toms, who spent several days last week with their parents, returned on Monday to their school at Lindenwood.

Mrs. Bathurst Smith gives a reception this evening from 8 to 11 o'clock, in compliment to Bishop and Mrs. Tuttle prior to their departure for Europe.

Mrs. J. M. Meeker has gone to Auburn, N. Y., and will spend several weeks in the East, her mission being to arrange for the publication of her book.

Mrs. Deane Cooper left last night for New York, whence she will sail shortly for Europe, where she will remain all summer, chiefly in Germany.

Miss Lottie Carr has returned from Hannibal, Mo., where she has been making a short visit to her friend, Miss Mamie Lamb. She is at her home at Glencoe.

Mrs. G. W. Price is entertaining her sister, Mrs. W. H. Dickson, and her daughter of Salt Lake City, Utah, where Mr. Dickson was United States Attorney for three years.

Mrs. P. N. Tiernan of Kansas City, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. E. J. Curtis, has returned home, accompanied by Mrs. Curtis, who will make her a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jacobs and family have gone to Ascend by steamer from New Orleans to New York, where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. Vaughn, for several weeks.

Miss Mimi Flanagan is delighted with the Northwest where she has been spending the past few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Robert Floyd-Jones. She will not return to St. Louis for some time.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Charlotte D. Clarkson to Mr. A. de Figueiredo, the ceremony to be performed at the suburban home of the bride's mother, May 16, at 10 o'clock a. m. A special train will leave the city that morning bearing the wedding guests.

The first presentation of "The Foresters," the new opera by Mrs. Marie T. Allen and Prof. Poppen, which will take place at the Pickwick on Monday evening, bids fair to be quite a society event. The boxes have all been taken by well-known people, and quite a number of parties have been formed for the opening night.

THE BANK OF NEVADA.

A Satisfactory Settlement of Accounts Between the Old Bonanza Partners.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—An executive meeting of the directors of the Nevada Bank was held yesterday. The details of the business transacted have not transpired, but in banking circles it is known that ex-Senator Fair has been paid the balance of the $2,000,000 which the bank owed him. This squared the account between the old bonanza partners that has been unsettled, and Mackay, Flood and Fair have now arranged all their financial affairs as relating to each other completely and satisfactorily. The $2,000,000 which Senator Fair received in settlement of his claims against the Nevada Bank represented the stated bulk of the money which he put into the concern to tide over the troubles caused by the wheat deal.

A Cashier in Trouble.

WILLIMANTIC, Conn., May 10.—Cashier Henry F. Boyce of the Willimantic Savings Institute has just been arrested for alleged falsification of accounts.

DIED.

O'MEARA—On Wednesday, May 9, at 5 p. m., JEREMIAH, second eldest son of Mary Ann and the late Patrick O'Meara, aged 7 years and 1 month.

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 2410 North Broadway, Friday, May 11, at 2 p. m., to Calvary Cemetery.

Friends of the family are invited to attend.

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2. Duet.....Liberty Duet from I Puritani.....BELLINI
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MMES. RIESMEYER, FULD AND HARDY.
4. Violin.....Caprice Hongroise.....SARASATE
SIG. GUIDO PARISI.
5. Grand Descriptive Septette—
"Morning".....GOLDBECK
MMES. RIESMEYER, LATEY, HARDY AND MESSRS. WHITE, HEIN, ELLWANGER AND PORTEOUS.
PART II.
6. Solo.....Heaven Hath Shed a Tear.....KUCKEN
MRS. MARY E. LATEY, with violin and piano accompaniment.
7. Male Quartette.....Absence.....BUCK
MESSRS. HEIN, WHITE, PORTEOUS AND ELLWANGER.
8. Alto Solo.....The Storm".....HULLAH
MRS. MATTIE HARDY, with organ and piano accompaniment.
9. Trio.....From Ernani.....VERDI
MRS. PRÆTORIUS AND MESSRS. HEIN AND PORTEOUS.
10. Quintette.....Lullaby.....SMART
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Preaching in the First United Presbyterian Church, 19th and Morgan sts., on Thursday and Friday evenings of this week preparatory to the observance of the Lord's Supper next Sabbath, May 13. Preaching on Sabbath at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by Rev. T. S. Stewart of San Francisco, brother of the pastor (Rev. D. C. Stewart). Sabbath School, 9 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. Young People's Prayer Meeting at 6:45 p. m. All are welcome.

LODGES.

HEADQUARTERS Col. Hassendeubel Post, No. 13, G. A. R., Department of Missouri.—The Comrades of the above post will assemble at our hall, 10th and Carroll sts., at 7:30 p. m. this evening, May 10, in full uniform, to participate in the Military Festival of Gen. Lyon Post, No. 2, at Koerner's Garden. The post marches from headquarters at 8 p. m. sharp. By order of the Commander. LOUIS GRUND, MARTIN SCHERER, Adjutant. 33

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WANTED—First-class house-painters. Apply to P. L. McGinness, 214 N. 7th st. 58

WANTED—A tinner who can make tin cans and do general job work; reference required. Address M 29, this office. 58

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WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply at 2127 Chestnut st. 66

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SUBURBAN PROPERTY—FOR SALE

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

BARTMER PLACE.

Lovely cottage on Narrow Gauge road; 10 rooms; shade trees; all conveniences; for sale or exchange for city dwelling, as owner afflicted with asthma and must sell at once. See me about this.
T. S. NOONAN, Agt.,
9 800 Chestnut st.

REAL ESTATE WANTED.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WE want to buy houses and lots for cash; owners who want to sell call at once to
TAAFFE & GAY, 710 Chestnut st. 22

WANTED—Owners of property to call on us if they want to sell. C. C. LOGAN & CO., 22 808 Pine st.

FINANCIAL.

BORROWERS are found by advertising in the Sunday Post-Dispatch. 31

A GENTLEMAN wishing to invest some surplus funds will loan $25 and upwards on household furniture and other security; parties wishing advances will be treated fairly and can secure loans on satisfactory terms. Call at 1017 Morgan st. 31

MONEY loaned on clothing, diamonds, watches, chains, guns, pistols, musical instruments, etc., at Dunn's Loan Office, 912 Franklin av. 31

$25 TO $500 loaned on furniture, pianos, without removal; also on horses and wagons; weekly payments taken and interest reduced in proportion; no commission. F. W. Peters & Co., 813 Chestnut st.

MONEY loaned on furniture without removal, in any sums to suit; business confidential; no commission charged. O. C. Volker, 714 Pine, room 14.

MONEY to loan at 6 per cent on this city and county real estate; in large or small amounts.
TAAFFE & GAY,
31 710 Chestnut st.

FURNITURE LOANS.

$25 and upwards to loan on furniture at residence without removal; lowest rates; business strictly confidential. C. F. Betts, 1003 Pine st. 31

Excelsior Mutual Building & Loan Association

Will issue a second series of stock; call at the office, 801 Locust st., and subscribe for what you want; books are now open.

RUTLEDGE & HORTON,
801 Locust st.

THOSE who wish a wide circulation for their wants should try the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

FOR SALE—A grocery in good locality; must be sold at once on account of other business relations. By addressing early a bargain can be secured. Address J 39, this office. 4

ALL SORTS.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

PLAY BALL—You need not lay off with a sprained ankle; use the Hackey Improved Patent Ankle Support; $2; give size shoe worn. 714 Pine st.

PARTIES desiring to furnish houses will find everything they need at our establishment. We will give you very easy terms on weekly or monthly payments. H. J. Nathan Bro.'s Great Installment House, 1128-1130 Olive st. 32

ST. LOUIS MUTUAL HOUSE BUILDING CO. Office, No. 513 Walnut st. Samuel Simmons, Pres. Hugo Kromrey, Sec. This pioneer company builds or purchases houses, at option of applicants, on monthly payment plan in St. Louis City. Prospectus at office free of charge.

FOR RENT—DWELLINGS.

1559 SINGLETON ST.—An 8-room house for two families; newly papered and papered; close to Union Depot. 14

2916 PINE ST.—An elegant modern stone-front house, 12 rooms, laundry, furnaces, electric bells, 2 bath-rooms, a fine carriage house. Call at our office for card of admission.
R. C. GREER REAL ESTATE CO.,
14 No. 902 Chestnut st.

2621 MADISON ST.—6 rooms and bath, front and rear yards, in thorough repair. Apply 2619. 14

IF you can pay rent you can buy a house on our plan; payments monthly; no large amount

Horton Place.

We can offer very desirable lots in this beautiful subdivision, situated in the FOREST PARK DISTRICT, the great West End.

Schools, Churches, Improved Streets, Rapid Transit.

This property is attracting the attention of the best people in the city, and is rapidly enhancing in value.

Now is the Time to Buy.

Rutledge & Horton

801 Locust Street.

ACCUSED OF FRAUD.

Mrs. Spickerman's Charges Against Messrs. Garland & Wallace.

A warrent for fraud was issued to-day against William H. Garland and John A. Wallace who carry on a real estate business under the firm name of Garland & Wallace. They have sumptuously furnished offices in the Bank of Commerce building. The warrant was sworn out to-day charges them with defrauding Mrs. Eva Spickerman out of $650. Mr. Spickerman is a poor woman who by her own and her family's industry and frugality saved up $650. With this money she purchased last October from the firm some property at Rosedale Heights. She alleges that they represented to her that the place was free from all incumbrance and she has placed all her money in it to secure a little home for herself and family. A few days ago the place was sold out on her under a deed of trust which had been given on the place a year ago, and about which she knew nothing. This is the statement she made to Mr. Dierkes and to Joseph G. Lodge, whom she has employed to prosecute the case, and who took her to Mr. Dierke's office to secure the warrant. It is said that a number of other warrants of a similar character against the firm will soon follow. Wallace was arrested a couple of years ago with a number of others in connection with a transaction in which a builder alleged that he was swindled out of several thousand dollars by the sale of worthless lands in Arkansas. At the preliminary hearing Wallace was discharged, however. The builder had been led to believe that he could immediately sell the land at a big advance, and before he purchased he claimed one of the other men took him to Wallace, who said he wanted to buy it at a fancy price which he named for an Arkansas syndicate. After the contractors bought the land Wallace would not take it, and he alleged he found the place was a worthless waste.

A LOTHARIO HELD,

And Judge Noonan Tells Mr. Lodge Why He Held the Man.

Lee Powell, the married man formerly employed at Roberts' livery stable on Olive street, near Jefferson avenue, was edged with Maggie Burns, a 16-year-old nursegirl, was examined to-day before Judge Noonan on a charge of enticing away from home a female under age. Without waiting to hear the defense Judge Noonan held the defendant for the Grand-jury in $1,500 bond. Joseph G. Lodge, attorney for Powell, objected to the proceeding and claimed the court was allowing his prejudices as a man to influence him as a judge. While he had no excuse to make for the man's action from a moral standpoint, from a legal standpoint it was different, and the man was entitled to the benefit of the law, no matter how great a criminal he might be. The Court remarked: "I will be frank with you, Mr. Lodge. It may be true and I think it is that in cases of this character where a cool, calculating man invades the sacredness of a household and ruins the purity of girlhood, I am not able to entirely divest my judicial position from the ordinary attributes of manhood, but it is a weakness for which I am not ashamed and for which I have no apology to make."

When Powell was bound over for the Grand-jury his wife, whom he deserted, went into hysterics in the court-room and had to be carried out.

A FINE STATE OF AFFAIRS.

The Municipal Officers of Quincy, Ill., Indulging in Lively Encounters.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

QUINCY, Ill., May 10.—The public men of this city are having a picnic just now. The new Council met Monday and elected Alderman Shea's man, Andy O'Connor, formerly C., B. & Q. ticket-agent, to the office of Chief of Police. This made the big Alderman feel so good that he struck one of the old Chief's patrolmen, Officer Reardon, breaking his nose. The officer drew his revolver and would have shot him, had it not been for Alderman Babcock and the new Chief, who caught his hand. The same night, Tuesday, Alderman Shea and Policeman Bloekburger had a lively time at the Tremont House. Last night Detective Purcell and ex-Chief Ording were prevented from getting at each other, and this morning, while Acting State's Attorney Woods was trying a case in the police court, Alderman Babcock, who is a son-in-law of the Circuit Judge, interfered with Mr. Woods to such an extent as to cause the Judge to sit down on him. Babcock, when asked if he was representing any one in the case then being tried, replied that he was not, but that he was representing fairness and decency.

THE NEW CHIEF OBSERVER.

Lieut. Watkins Arrives in the City—Important Changes.

Lieut. R. C. Watkins, who will be the observer in charge of the local signal office, arrived in the city to-day and is stopping at the Southern. He is a pleasant-faced young man, between 30 and 35. The most important thing growing out of this change of officers is the issuing of night weather maps like those now issued in the day. They will be sent out on the fast mail. These maps were first advocated in the POST-DISPATCH by Sergt. Chappel over six months ago, and the adoption of the idea is a tribute to the level-headedness of the Sergeant. They will be issued as soon as the new appliances reach here. About one hundred and forty towns will be supplied for the present. The hours of observation will be changed to 8 a. m. and 8 p. m. 76th meridian time.

Harold Fosburg Dead.

A private telegram to a friend in this city announces the death of Harold Fosburg, the well-known actor, which occurred at New York last evening. Mr. Fosburg was one of the best known men on the stage, and was a brilliant actor. The remains will be interred in Washington.

A QUEER REQUEST,

Which Astonished Coroner Frazer, Who Did Not Grant It.

Julius Meyer, who keeps a saloon and resides at No. 520 Hickory street, shot and killed Adolph Kleintopf, Jr., at an early hour on the morning of April 15 while Kleintopf was burglarizing his place. As Kleintopf was killed while in the commission of a felony nothing was ever done to Meyer. To-day he called at the Coroner's office with L. Dexter, who had been a witness in the case and came to collect his fee. After Dexter had collected his fee Meyer said he also wanted his witness fee. The statement took Coroner Frazer's breath away, but he recovered sufficiently to tell Mr. Meyer very emphatically that he was entitled to no fee.

The Walking Match.

NEW YORK, May 9.—Most of the Madison Square walkers enjoyed more or less rest last night. Comparatively speaking, they appear in first-class condition. The extraordinary work of the Mexican was the feature of the night, and he is still traveling along in his peculiar gliding stride, apparently without exertion. To-day he looks as fresh as he did when he entered upon his task.

9 a. m.—Score: Littlewood, 361; Guerrero, 355; Herty, 349; Hughes, 330; Golden, 329; Noremac, 310; Dillon, 307; Campana, 260.

Noon score—Littlewood, 378; Guerrero, 365; Herty, 362; Hughes, 341; Golden, 341; Noremac, 325; Dillon, 315; Campana, out.

The Assaulted Detectives.

The hearing of testimony for the defense in the case of Conrad Huebschman, Jr., occupied the whole of the day in the Criminal Court to-day. The accused are endeavoring to prove that Detective Tracy, while not exactly drunk, was somewhat under the influence of liquor, and that neither he nor Detective Hobbs made known they were officers until after they were assaulted. Also tha Hobbs was not struck by Huebschman, but by Julius Gottlieb, the other barkeeper, Tracy being struck by Huebschman. The claim of the defendant supposed Hobbs and Tracy were pals of Collins, the man they were ejecting.

The Patternmakers.

At the third day's session this morning at Wenzel's Hall of the annual meeting of the Patternmakers' National League of North America nothing was accomplished beyond suggestions for the revision of the constitution by the committees appointed for that purpose. These committees report this afternoon, and it is likely that the session will come to an end to-morrow evening or by Saturday noon at the latest.

Gen. Beem's Body Exhumed.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

ALTON, Ill., May 10.—The body of the late Gen. Martin Beem was exhumed here to-day and a post-mortem held. No powder stains indicating a shot at close range were found.

"A Trip to Africa."

"A Trip to Africa," which was again a splendid success at the Olympic last evening, will be repeated, by request, on Saturday afternoon next. The receipts of the two performances aggregate over $1,500. A testimonial will be given Director Epstein and a banquet will be given the chorus.

Mrs. Dr. Meisenbach is entertaining Mrs. Dr. Hughes of Okawville this week.

The Bridal Bulletin.

The following marriage licenses were granted during the twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. to-day:

Name.	Residence.
Robert Wendel	1217 S. 8th st
Bettie W. Spaning	1217 S. 8th st
Geo. H. Monegan	2734 S. 4th st
Minnie Miller	1913 S. 8th st
Thomas H. Snow	Hamilton, Ont
Frances Etter	Godfrey, Ill
Joseph Barber	517 Gratiot st
Annie Garinecker	Troy, Ill
C. H. Nordman	426 S. 16th st
Ida Bischoff	1326 Spruce st
Theodore Schmid	721 Lafayette av
Emma Buckshorn	721 Lafayette av
Thomas Proctor	717 Linn st
Mary Slais	717 Linn st
Daniel Sweeney	St. Louis
Abbie Riordan	St. Louis
J. J. Willoughby	Kansas City, Mo
Mary A. Willoughby	Jefferson Co., Mo
Frederick Censky	1037 Gever av
Theresa Divorak	1884 S. 11th st
Chas. W. Johannemeier	2632 Ohio av
Caroline Fistken	2632 Ohio av
Shelton M. Stringer	1519 Morgan st
Annie E. Brucks	2329 Atlantic st
Wm. L. Rose	1300 Franklin av
Emma Zimmermann	2729 Laclede av
Reinhard Mueller	321 Geyer av
Bertha Ackerman	1716 S. Broadway
Chas. Kunst Jr.	S. Broadway
Rose Janning	1038 Geyer av
Wm. Clark	5739 New Manchester road
Martha Landing	5739 New Manchester road
Bernard J. Funke	1917 College av
Josephine Schloemer	2010 College av
Harry Klate	1815 Biddle st
Ida Kidd	1814 College av

PURE 18-KT. gold WEDDING-RINGS, Wedding invitations, the finest, lowest prices. *Mermod & Jaccard Jewelry Co., Cor. 4th & Locust.*

Births.

The following births were reported to the Health Department during the twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. to-day:

Ferdinand, son of Charles L. and Novene Dzengolevski, November 4; 4100 Finney avenue.

John S., son of Jacob and Margaret Hassett; July 28; 4029 Fairfax avenue.

Minnie, daughter of George and Minnie Mellon, May 1; 608 Cary avenue.

Augusta, daughter of Joseph and Mari Beck, April 30; 3008 Bacon street.

Adela, daughter of O. and A. Geise, April 27; 211 Russell avenue.

Mary Jane, daughter of George and Hannah Lawler, May 2; 1548 North Second street.

son of William and Dora McCauley, May 8; 1710 Division street.

Leon J., son of Julius L. and Mary Trojanowski, April 30; 2016 O'Fallon street.

Emma, daughter of Otto and Christina Weber, April 28; 2010½ O'Fallon street.

Mary, daughter of Frank and Kate Tirnew, April 4; 4203 North Broadway.

Arthur, son of Carl and Anna Seifert, April 9; 504 Withers avenue.

Otto, son of Jesse and Mary McConell, April 14; Levee, between Talcott street and Withers avenue.

Joseph Henry, son of Joseph and Clara Bollwerk, May 9; 2817 South Broadway.

Laurence, son of Dennis and Lizzie Shine, April 25; 3640 Page avenue.

Lillie, daughter of Herman and Rosie Koppen, April 24; 1512 South Tenth street.

Elizabeth, daughter of John A. and Bernardina Albers, May 6; 2220 Morgan street.

Ida, daughter of Edward and May Fels, April 30; 2405 De Kalb street.

Julia, daughter of Gus and Rose Burkert, April 27; 2713 De Kalb street.

Nettie, daughter of William and Lena Schomacker, May 8; 2851 Second Carondelet avenue.

Robert William, son of William and Mina Toenges, May 5; 2900 Kossuth avenue.

Theodore Joseph, son of Joseph and Anna Poeling, May 1; 4682 North Broadway.

Oskar, son of Mathies and Maria Gatzert, May 3; Gratiot avenue and Penrose street.

Ida Lizzie, daughter of Otto and Annie Illgner, May 2; 3920 North Twentieth street.

Alfred Paul, son of Frank R. and Clementine Meyer, May 7; 1723 Ohio avenue.

Lillie, daughter of S. and Minnie Merrie, May 5; 2240 North Market street.

G. W. H., son of John and L. Stag, April 30; 3828 North Twenty-third street.

Deaths.

The following burial certificates were issued by the Health Department during the 24 hours ending at 3 p. m. to-day:

Edgar H. Schisler, 2243 Jules street; septicæmia.

Willie L. Herrick, 13 years, 104 South Beaumont street; pneumonia.

Lizzie Lynch, 44 years, 206 Ashley street; cancer.

Emil Cotta, 61 years, Osage street and Virginia avenue; pneumonia.

Frieda Michel, 3 years, 304 Trudeau street; diphtheria.

Paul Frank Hirschmann, 32 years, 2834 Chouteau avenue; heart disease.

Caroline T. Wells, 76 years; 2641 Morgan street; senility.

Infant of Geo. Coons, 1 day, 1314 South Third street; premature birth.

Infant of Ernestedt, 75 years, 1808 South Eighth street; hemiplegia.

Clara L. Olshausen, 61 years, 916 Hickory street; carcinoma.

August Nelson, 48 years, 912 South Third street; accident.

Josephine Wilson, 4 days, 212 Targee street; premature birth.

Josephine Schuster, 59 years, City Hospital; alcoholism.

Charles Kirby, 11 years, 906 Clinton street; peritonitis.

Catherine Nagel, 74 years, 900 South Eighteenth street; senile debility.

Frank Reudensbacher, 62 years, Alexian Brothers' Hospital; paralysis.

Infant of Charles Curtman, 1 hour, 4234 John avenue; premature birth.

Katherine Stauffer, 77 years, 1403 Chouteau avenue; gangrene.

Sarah Rollins, 51 years, Poor-house; general debility.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were recorded during the twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. today:

Hermann Stamm and wife to August Singer, 50 ft. on Wyoming st., city block 2053; warranty deed ..... $ 725

St. Louis Mutual House Building Co., No. 3, to Barbara Disch, 25 ft. on Broadway, city block 2402; special warranty deed 1,683

Mena Zeitman et al. to James W. Handley, 28 ft. on Taylor av., city block 3722; warranty deed 3,200

Edward Vogt to August Wagener, 25 ft. on Broadway, city block 3913; warranty deed 600

William Gosks and wife to Carl Jacks, 25 ft. on Prairie av., lot 21 of block 1 of University tract; warranty deed 450

William Brembs and wife to Anton Hoffmeyer and wife, 25 ft. on Prairie av., lot 20 in University tract; warranty deed 450

Charles Ladenburger and wife to Aloys Dressel, 50 ft. on Milhigan av., city block 1625; warranty deed 1,050

Julius E. Greffet and wife to James E. Shields, 16 ft. 2 in. on Pierce av., city block 4009; deed in fee 50

Luther M. Kimball to William Kennedy, 75 ft. on Mary Ann st., city block 2153; warranty deed 1,910

Jno. H. Jarvis to Joseph Tracy, 25 ft. on Hickory st., city block 1813; warranty deed 650

Fannie E. Sample by executor and trustee to Frederick W. Thias, 25 ft. on Kennerly av., city block 3713; executor's deed 975

Herman J. Krembs and wife to Hermann Gilardman, et al., 24 ft. 8½ ft. on Arsenal st., city block 2059; warranty deed 1,000

Jas. H. Fanning and wife to Joseph Hoffmann, F. Farrelly, 29 ft. on 3d st., city block 78; trustee's deed 1,525

New York Stock Quotations.

Corrected daily by Matthews & Whitaker, bankers and brokers, 121 N. Third st., St. Louis, Mo.

STOCKS.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Canada Southern	50⅞	50⅞	49⅝	49½
Canadian Pacific	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central New Jersey	82⅞	83⅜	82⅜	82⅜
Central Pacific	31⅜	31⅜	31⅛	31⅛
Chi., St. P., M. & O.	89	89	88¼	88¼
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
C., R. I. & P.	110	.....	.....	110
C., B. & Q.	117⅛	117⅜	115¼	115⅛
C., M. & St. P.	73⅜	73⅜	72⅜	72⅜
C. & N. W. com	109⅜	109⅜	108⅛	108⅛
Cotton Oil Trust	31¼	31⅜	30⅞	30⅝
Del., Lack. & W	129½	129½	128¾	128¾
Del. & Hudson	109½	109½	108½	109⅛
Denver & Rio Grande	.....	.....	.....	.....
East Tenn. com	.....	.....	.....	.....
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
Erie com	25½	25⅝	24⅜	24⅜
do pfd	37⅞	37⅞	36¾	36¾
Alfred Jay, son of Frank R. and Clementine Meyer, May 7; 1723 Ohio avenue.	97	97¼	97	97
Lillie, daughter of S. and Minnie Merrie, May 5; 2240 North Market street.	36⅝	37	36⅜	36⅞
G. W. H., son of John and L. Stag, April 30; 3828 North Twenty-third street.	19	.....	.....	19
Houston & Texas Central	.....	.....	.....	.....
Illinois Central	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lake Erie & W	22¼	22⅜	20⅜	21
Lake Shore	92¼	92⅜	90⅜	91
Louisville & Nashville	56⅜	57⅛	55⅞	55⅞
Manhattan Consol	80	80	75¼	76⅛
Missouri Pacific	77⅞	78⅜	76¼	76¾
Mo., Kan. & Texas	14½	14½	14	14
Mobile & Ohio	.....	.....	.....	.....
Manhattan Elevated	91¼	94	91½	92
New York & New England	41⅜	42¼	40¾	40⅜
New York Central com	106¼	106⅜	105⅛	105⅜
Norfolk & Western	18¾	18⅞	18¼	18⅜
do do pfd	48	48	47⅜	47⅜
Northern Pacific com	25¼	25¼	24⅜	24⅜
do do pfd	52½	52½	51½	51½
Ohio Southern	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oregon & Transcontinental	25⅛	25⅜	24⅜	24⅜
Or. Nav. & Trans. Co	94½	94½	94	94
Ohio & Mississippi com	21¼	21¼	21	21
Pacific Mail	35⅜	35⅝	34¾	34⅜
Peoria, Decatur & Evansville	.....	.....	.....	.....
Philadelphia & Reading	61⅜	61⅞	60⅜	60⅜
Pullman Palace Car	145	145	144½	145
Richmond Terminal	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Paul & Duluth com	56½	.....	.....	56½
do do pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. L. & San F. com	.....	.....	.....	.....
do 1st pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
do 2d pfd	67	.....	.....	67
St. L. & S. W. com	.....	.....	.....	.....
Texas & Pacific	25¾	25¾	25	25⅛
Union Pacific	54⅜	54⅝	54	53⅝
Wabash, St. L. & P	14½	14½	14	14
do do pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
Western Union Tel. Co	76⅝	76⅞	75¾	75¾
West Shore Bonds	103⅜	103⅜	103¼	103¼

Local Bonds.

Corrected daily by James Campbell, banker and broker, 307 Pine street.

U. S. BONDS.

	When Interest payable.	Bid.	Ask.
3 ₰ cent bonds	M. A. N. & F.	100⅜	100⅜
4½ ₰ cent bonds	1891 J. S. D. & M.	107	108
4 ₰ cent bonds	1907 J. A. J. & O.	126¼	127

RAILWAY BONDS.

Mo. Pac. 1st m 6s	1895 Feb. and Aug.	102	102½
Mo. Pac. Consols	1920 May and Nov.	110	110½
Mo. Pac. 2d m 7s	1891 Jan. and July	107	109
Mo. Pac. 3d	1906 May and Nov.	114	115½
No. Mo. 1st m 7s	1895 Jan. and July	114	115
K. F. 1st m 6s	1896 Feb. and Aug.	108	113½
K. F. 2d m 6s	1898 June and Dec.	104	113½
K. P. D. Ex. 6s	1899 May and Nov.	104½	105½
K. P. Consols	1910 May and Nov.	103	103½
St. L. & M. 1st 7s	1897 Feb. and Aug.	103½	106½

ST. LOUIS CITY AND COUNTY BONDS.

City 3-65 sterling	1907	June and Dec.	100	101
City 4s sterling, 10-20s	1902	May and Nov.	100½	101
City 4s sterling, 20s	1905	June and Dec.	102	103
City 5s sterling, 10-20s	1900	June and Dec.	102¾	103½
City 5s	1900	Jan. and July	109	110
City 6s gold	1892–93	Various	109	109½
City 6s sterling	1898	June and Dec.	117	118
City 6s water	1899	June and Dec.	105	106
City 6s water	1892	April and Oct.	106¼	106¾
City 6s, bridge approach	1892	June and Dec.	106	106¾
County 6s gold	1895–96	Jan. and July	113	114
County Park	1903	April and Oct.	124	125

CLEARING-HOUSE STATEMENT.

Clearings	$2,883,535
Balances	435,789

COMMERCIAL.

Closing Prices—3 P. M.

Reported daily by S. W. COBB & CO., 317 and 319 Chamber of Commerce, St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS:

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT.				
May	89½	88⅞	88⅜	88 n
June	90¾	89⅞	88¾	88⅜ b
July	89¼	88⅞	88⅜	88⅜
Aug.	88	88	86¼	86¼
Sept.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dec.	92⅜	92¼	90⅝	90⅝
CORN.				
May	52⅛	.....	.....	52⅛ b
June	52⅛	52⅛	52⅛	52⅜ a
July	53	53	52½	52⅝
Aug.	52⅜	.....	.....	52⅜ b
Year	41⅜	41⅜	41⅜	41⅜
OATS.				
May	35½	35⅜	35¼	35¼
June	34⅜	34⅜	34⅛	34⅜
July	29⅜	29¾	29¾	29⅝ b
Aug.	.....	.....	.....	27 b

CHICAGO:

WHEAT.				
June	88⅜	89	84⅜	84½@84⅝
July	86½	87⅛	85½	85½@85⅝
CORN.				
May	56⅜	57⅛	56⅜	57 b
July	55¾	56⅛	55¾	55¾@55⅞
OATS.				
May	34	34⅛	33⅝	33⅝
July	33	33⅛	32⅝	32⅝
PORK.				
June	14.25	14.15	14.02	14.07
July	14.32@35	14.25	14.10	14.17
LARD.				
June	8.20	8.20	8.17	8.17@20
July	8.22@25	8.25	8.22	8.22
SHORT RIBS.				
June	7.55	7.52	7.47	7.50 b
July	7.62@65	7.60	7.55	7.60 a

NEW YORK—Wheat—May, 95⅜c a; June, 94⅜c a; July, 95c a; August, 94⅝c a; December, 97⅜c a. Corn—May, 65c; June, 64c; July, 64c; August, 64c.

TOLEDO—Wheat—May, —; June, 90c; July, 90c; August, 90c a; September, 93½c.

DETROIT—Wheat—May, 83c; June, 85⅝c; July, 86½c; August, —.

Movements of Wheat and Corn To-Day.

	Receipts.		Shipments.	
	Wheat.	Corn.	Wheat.	Corn.
St. Louis	8,826	42,669	15,610	49,853
Milwaukee	14,175	560	5,910	.....
Baltimore	2,000	15,849	24,000	8,172
Toledo	.....	127,753	127,350	33,000
New York	.....	120,938	.....	33,515
Chicago	22,438	182,715	90,372	104,508
Kansas City	500	1,500	.....	2,000
Detroit	5,187	2,080	4,468	1,632
Duluth	38,745	.....	.....	.....
Minneapolis	47,880	.....	22,800	.....
Richmond	6,418	8,970	9,722	3,743

Stock of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Wheat bu.	Corn bu.	Oats bu.	Rye bu.	Barley bu.
To-day	593,210	599,954	217,935	3,613	10,036
Yes'dy	608,000	658,632	236,101	3,613	10,077
	No. 2 Red.	No. 2.	No. 2.	No. 2.	No. 2.
To-day	555,129	367,263	139,289	3,232	.....
Yes'dy	569,436	387,711	154,450	3,232	.....

Withdrawals from Elevators for Twenty-Four Hours Ending Yesterday.

Wheat—City mills, 15,399 bu; rail shipment, 500 bu; river, 451 bu; total, 16,350 bu. Corn—City, 31,764 bu; rail shipment, 14,741 bu; river, 24,168 bu; total, 70,670 bu. Oats—City, 4,375 bu; rail shipment, 722 bu; river, 12,000 bu; total, 17,097 bu. Rye—City, —bu. Barley—City, 561 bu.

St. Louis Markets,

FORENOON SESSION, CLOSING 1 P. M.

The Government Agricultural Bureau's report fixes the condition of winter wheat on May 1 at 78c. This is a falling off of 9 points from April 1, is 13 points below May 1, 1887, 22 points below May 1, 1886, and 3 points above May 1, 1885. Figuring on basis of 73 per cent the winter wheat crop as it now stands is 86,000,000 bu about half last year's. It also points to a total crop of over 410,000,000 bu. If the spring wheat crop of 1888 is as large as the one of 1887, Faith-Ewald's private wire reports: "A dispatch from Fargo says, 'So per cent of the seeding is done and in fine condition, and though the season is late they look for an average crop. Minneapolis wires: 'Seeding in best wheat sections a few days late, but ground in excellent condition to make up.' The stock of wheat at Port Arthur (not in the visible supply report) is 2,254,000 bu, against 2,000,000 bu one month ago. Several of the grain traders this morning marked their idea of what the Government's report on the condition of winter wheat would be. Those who marked 78 were Frank Hyan, P. G. Bowman, Geo. Small, Tom Francis and Thos. Akin. John Warren with 80 and S. W. Cobb with 78 were the furthest off. Lately at the New York Produce Exchange samples of Cape Good Hope wheat which were taken from parcels on sale at London were exhibited. One sample represented wheat raised from No. 1 Duluth wheat and another from India wheat. Both were of good quality, but the latter was rather deficient in cleanliness. There is a fair prospect that the export of wheat from Cape Good Hope—now in its infancy—may attain in time considerable importance. At the weather since May 1, (when the Government report is made up) has been very favorable, there are quite a number of traders who believe the next report will show a higher condition for wheat than the present one. This report the Government knocks the Cincinnati Price Current's estimate silly, but its editor, C. B. Murray, rushes to its defense, telegraphing the following nonsense around through the country: "Consider general average condition some lower than estimated week ago. Regard indications fifty-five to sixty million short one year ago." Go to, Mr. Murray, go to! The shipments of wheat from South Russia continue fair, but the Continent still takes a large proportion of the same, for out of forty-four wheat-laden vessels that passed the Dardanelles recently only three were destined for England, the Mediterranean ports taking twenty-two, and the remainder being absorbed by France, Brussels, Holland and Germany. A decided advance in steam freights has tended to check fresh shipments from Odessa. Nevertheless, sales were reported of some 2,500,000 bu at from 60c to 80c per qr. Liverpool, on the appearance of the young wheat plant which has evidently suffered from the recent severe weather, while spring sowing is so late as also to give rise to some apprehension.—— A sale of 85,000 bu No. 2 corn was made for export by Grier to-day. It will be loaded into barges to-morrow.——The quantity now on passage to France—including Marseilles—is 520,000 bushels, against 1,360,000 bushels one year ago. All but one of the recently arrived cargoes of Australian wheat off the English coast have been taken for ports in France, and it is expected that a considerable portion of that now on passage to England will be diverted in the same direction.——Beerbohm thinks the wheat trade is in a very interesting condition, and much more so than has been the case for some time past. With the promise of 44,000,000 bushels deficiency in the American crop, and with the crop outlook in Europe certainly below an average of previous years, and with no sign of any superabundance of supplies during the next three months, it is clear that prices should show more buoyancy in the immediate future than seemed likely a few weeks ago, when excessive supplies were expected, especially for the summer months. As the shadow of coming events is proverbially unmistakable, so will the prospective shortage on this side of the Atlantic, which alone will be sufficient under present circumstances of only moderate stocks and low price level, make itself felt long before the actual scarcity is apparent.

WHEAT—An attempt to realize by longs, who thought there had been enough advance, at least for a while, and the selling of bears, some of whom had the straight (?) tip on the Government report, caused a cent break this morning. After this was a weakening market until the Government report came in. Estimates of traders on the crop condition ran from 80c to 86c, most of them placing it at 73c to 75c. It was still a weak market almost entirely, very few orders coming in from the outside, and from private wires. The opening of July was at 88c, from which it declined to 86¾c. Thence on to 11 o'clock there was little change and little trading, shortly after that time the trade was set wild by a rapid upward whirl in Chicago, and at the same time the Government figures of 73 came in. There was a crazy scramble to buy and, amid great confusion and excitement, the price jumped 3c. Then the commission-house element asserted itself. The traders saw the report was not near as bad as most of them had been led to believe, and that it was nothing like as much damage than the estimates placed it. The other markets began to fall back, and soon there was as wild a rush to sell as there had been to buy. The selling kept on, too, even after the first break away; and excitement was over. Several well-known bear traders, who have been keeping themselves in the background lately, were conspicuous in the pit once more as sellers. Longs were letting go, and even the scalpers seemed to be changing over to the bear side. The close was at 86¾@86⅞c, which was low point for the session and 1¾c below yesterday. The Minneapolis market was closed to-day, and there was no change in spot grades and there was no settled value. No. 2 red in C. sold at 88c and No. 3 red in U. at 86½c.

CORN—What is now interesting for the speculative trader to give any attention to the other cereals and corn suffered from as much neglect as did oats. Of course there was much change in June selling at 52¾c and July at 52¾c up to 53c, and closing at 52¾c bid. The spot market was firm, but outside of an 85,000 lot No. 2 taken for export there was not much doing. No. 2, 52¾c regular, 52¾@53c in C.; No. 3, 52c in St. 2 and 52½c in C.; No. 2 white, 57½c this side; No. 3 white, 55½c bid for C., 55c for U.

OATS—Speculation was light and the future market neglected most of the time. The feeling was weaker and June sold 1¢ lower at 34¾c to 34⅝c, and July was 1¢ off at 29¾c. The demand was light for spot grades even at lower prices, and sales were small of No. 2 in C. at 35½c, which was bid for this side; for No. 3 in C. 34½c bid.

Flour firm and in fair demand, but buyers not taking hold with the readiness they did yesterday. Quotations: Choice, $5.65; family, $4.80@5.25; choice, $3.35@3.50; fancy, $3.90@4; extra do, $4.05@4.15; patents, $4.30@4.40. These prices are for lots on arrival at the depot or levee; order lots higher.

Bran steady. Sacked, 80c at country point, 82c for bulk in bulk, 85c at country point.

Hay was strong and yesterday's prices were easily obtainable, but there were really no fancy grades on the market. Prices ranged: Timothy, choice, $12@13 for prime to fancy; mixed timothy, $12@13 for common to choice, $14.50@18 for prime to choice timothy, and $19@20 for choice to fancy do. East side stock sells lower.

Provisions were weaker and slower sale on more unfavorable advices. Cured meats sale c'rib sold f o b at 7.60c and some fancy bacon c'rib packed at 8.42½c for next week's delivery. Loose dry salt f o b on cash orders—Shoulders, 5.00c; ribs, 7.55c@7.65c; clear shorts, 7.85c; boxed c'rib, 7.70c. Packed bacon—Shoulders, 6½c; longs, 8¼@8.5. 30-lbs average c'ribs, 8.30@8.35c; shorts, 8½@8.55c. New standard mess held at $14.65. Prime steam lard, 7½c; fancy leaf, 8½c; second brand, 8c. C. s. c. hams, 11@12½c. Breakfast bacon, 10@11c. Beef, family, $8@9 per bbl; on orders, higher; $14@14.50 per half bbl; dried, 10@12½c; canvassed hams, 12½c lb; smoked tongues, $4.25@5 ₰ doz. Tallow—Prime to choice, in oil bbls, 4½c; choice cake, 5c; No. 2, 4½@4½c; in irregular packages, 4c. Grease—Brown and yellow, 2½@3½c; white, 4@5c. Salt—Domestic, $1.05 ₰ bbl on E. and $1.10 this side. Ground alum, $1.10@2.25 ₰ sack; small, way higher.

Highwines steady at $1.11 in St. Louis, Cincinnati and Peoria, $1.17 in Chicago.

Lead—Sick, slicker, sickest! This was the worst day the trade has seen for many moons. New York reported the market there down to $4.25 and locally there was absolutely no demand. A car corroding was offered as low as $4 and even at that could not be sold.

Afternoon Board.

Wheat unsettled, closing weak. Corn firm. Oats easy.

Cotton.

The Government crop report indicates a late crop, owing to cold weather and wet weather, and a falling off in the acreage planted in the Atlantic States. Private advices, it is said, confirm the Government in these statements. This report stiffened the New York future market, which closed 3@7 points higher, and shorts were firm. Liverpool was also better, arrivals closing 1-64d better and spots firm with a good demand; 12,000 bales selling. The home market was steady; sales of 1,075 bales indicated a good demand.

LOCAL SPOT QUOTATIONS—Low ordinary, 6 13-16c; ordinary, 7 9-16c; good ordinary, 8¾c; low middling, 9 3-16c; middling, 9 9-16c; good middling, 9⅞c; middling fair, 10 1-16c; fair, —; stained, ⅛c lower than white.

RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND STOCKS—Gross receipts to-day, 598 bales; since inception, 1,507,317 bales; against 412,018 same time last season; shipments to-day, 1,075 bales; since September 1, 1887, 465,579 bales, against 407,015 bales same time last season; net receipts since September 1, 1887, 251,856 bales, against 255,738 bales for the same time last season; stock on hand, 45,878 bales, against 15,017 bales.

CLOSING COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK—Middling, 10c.

	Closed Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closed To-day.
May	9.82	9.86	9.85	9.90
June	9.89	9.97	9.93	9.96
July	9.98	10.07	10.01	10.05
August	10.06	10.15	10.10	10.14
September	9.69	9.74	9.71	9.72
October	9.42	9.47	9.43	9.45
November	9.33	9.36	9.34	9.36
December	9.34	9.37	9.35	9.37
January	9.41	9.45	9.42	9.43
February	9.49	9.52

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Delicatessen Lunch Room,
716 N. BROADWAY.

CITY NEWS.

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Trunks! Trunks! Trunks!

Avoid middle profits, purchase direct from manufacturers. Trunks, Traveling Bags, large assortment and prices that defy competition. Repairing prompt and cheap. Herkert & Meisel, 420 N. Sixth st.

DR. D. JACOB, dentist, has returned from his trip and is now ready to practice at 1409 Franklin avenue. Formerly of the Painless Dental Rooms.

Dr. E. C. Chase,

Corner of 9th and Olive streets. Set of teeth, $8.

PRIVATE matters skillfully treated and medicines furnished: Dr. Dinsbeer, 814 Pine street.

DR. WHITTIER, 617 St. Charles, cures diseases of indiscretion, indulgences. Call or write.

CAUSED A SCARE.

The Bill Reducing the Number of Licensed Liquor Dealers in Massachusetts.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

FALL RIVER, MASS., May 10.—While the Fall River Board of Aldermen have been engaged for the past two weeks in perfecting plans for high license this year, and the liquor dealers have been protesting to no purpose, the State Legislature has been tinkering with the license law and passing various restrictive measures, most of which have failed. Yesterday the State Senate passed to be engrossed the bill limiting licenses to one to every 1,000 inhabitants. At the same time the local liquor dealers were in session trying to devise some means of escaping the high license fees which they claimed meant for them financial ruin. When the Boston papers arrived yesterday the dealers and the Aldermen were astonished to read that the limited license bill, which had already passed the House, had passed the Senate and would take effect on its passage. This news fell like a thunderbolt on the already anxious dealers. It meant that there could be only sixty licenses granted in this city of 65,000 inhabitants, and it was a situation which made the prospect of high license pale into insignificance. There are 400 applicants for license and there was at once a hurrying to and fro. Leading dealers hustled up the Aldermen and urged immediate action. They would agree to high license or any license rather than run the chance of getting no license at all. They had existed for a year under prohibition, but their experience with the police force warned them that under a limited license law they would either go out of business or go to jail.

The High license Board of Aldermen were no less anxious. The Senate would probably pass the bill to the enacting stage, and if the Governor signed it the board would be powerless to exceed the limit. This meant a serious blow to their crippled finances. Under the high license plan there would probably be nearly three hundred licenses granted and a revenue of about $120,000 raised. The new law would reduce this to less than $30,000. No license had been granted, the board having closed Friday night for that week. Mayor Cumming hurriedly called a meeting of the Aldermen for last night to try to hurry the licenses through in time. When the board meeting chamber and corridors were packed with anxious liquor dealers, who eagerly awaited results. These came in an unexpected way on the arrival of Alderman Holmes, the champion of high license, who had been to Boston, and who got home on the steamboat train. He brought the cheering news that the enacting clause of the bill had been stricken out and it would not take effect for thirty days and the board promptly adjourned to Friday and there was a general feeling of relief all around. The scare has knocked all opposition to high license out of the liquor dealers and they are now only anxious about how they shall raise the money to pay for the licenses they so narrowly missed.

WABASH RAILWAY.

New and Improved Sleeping-Car Service to the East.

Commencing Sunday, May 13, Train 44, leaving St. Louis at 7:55 a. m. daily, will have a through New York sleeper running via Toledo, Detroit, Michigan Central, Niagara Falls and New York Central Railway, arriving at Grand Central Depot next evening at 8:30 p. m. Train 42, leaving St. Louis at 7 p. m. daily for New York, will have through sleeper running via Toledo, Detroit, Michigan Central, Niagara Falls & West Shore Railway, arriving in New York second morning at 7:30. The Boston sleeper, leaving St. Louis at 7 p. m. daily, will run via Toledo, Detroit, Michigan Central, Niagara Falls & Fitchburg Railway, arriving in Boston second morning at 9:35. Travelers should remember that this is the only route by which they can obtain a full and satisfactory view of Niagara Falls by daylight. Wabash dining-cars furnish first-class meals on through trains.

Free reclining-chair cars on through trains to Toledo.

Ticket offices, 107 North Fifth street and Union Depot.

Centennial Board of Finance.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., May 10.—The Centennial Board of Finance holds its semi-annual meeting and reunion at the Grand Pacific Hotel, Chicago, to-day. Eight of the directors, Thos. Cochran, James R. Little, Wm. V. McKean, N. Parker Shortridge, John Wanamaker, John Price Wetherill of Philadelphia, Thomas H. Dudley of New Jersey and Wm. Strong of New York, left here yesterday. They will be joined by Director-General Goshorn of Ohio, Prof. Campbell of Indiana and J. B. Drake of Chicago, whose guests they are.

The Memory Lectures.

Judging from the large number of callers at Prof. White's parlors at the Lindell Hotel, there is quite an interest in St. Louis on the subject of memory. Prof. White gives the first lecture of his course of instruction in the "Natural Method of Memory Training" to-morrow (Friday) evening at Memorial Hall. The Professor has laid the axe to the root of all generally accepted notions of memory, and goes on the principle that one must first know just how the natural memory acts, must be convinced of their own powers and must then be shown how to make their memory act under the control of the will. Judging from his indorsements, which are all from experienced educators, he is well able to do all he claims.

A Rich Swedish Immigrant.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, May 10.—A Swedish immigrant, with his wife and four children, arrived at Castle Garden Tuesday, and astonished the money broker by the amount of his purse. He had nearly $10,000 in gold, which he carried in a large bag. The family was destined for Minnesota, where he will settle down on a little farm. It is very seldom that an immigrant lands with so much money, and the Swede is considered one of the richest immigrants that ever landed in Castle Garden.

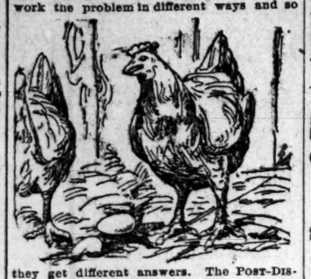
TRY tired feeling, so subtle and yet so overpowering, learn be entirely overcome by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which tones and strengthens the system and gives a good appetite. Try it!

"IF A HEN AND A HALF."

THE GREAT QUESTION WHICH IS AGITATING LOCAL ARITHMETICIANS.

One Man Willing to Bet $5,000 on His Answer—Several New Solutions of the Problem—A Texas "Figurer" Tries His Hand—"D. H. I.'s" $1 Not Yet Covered by Any of the Supporters of the 28-Eggs Answer.

The hen-and-a-half problem is booming. If the answers continue to multiply at the present rate, it will be necessary to hold a hen-and-a-half convention to settle the question. The problem itself is as simple as rolling off a log; the answer is the only difficulty appertaining to it. Different people work the problem in different ways and so



they get different answers. The POST-DISPATCH, as the organ of the people, prints the people's answers. Several answers are given to-day adding new complexities to the question. Here is the problem:

If a hen and a half lay an egg and a half in a day and a half, how many eggs will six hens lay in seven days?

Mr. C. Seissor in Sunday's POST-DISPATCH maintained that the correct answer is twenty-eight eggs and expressed his willingness to back this answer with a wager of $100 to $1. Mr. "D. H. I." of the Master Builders' Association sent in $1 and an accompanying answer of forty-two eggs upon which he wished his money placed. Mr. Seissor has not been heard from yet and it might be inferred from this that the outlook for the twenty-eight eggs was rather blue, but here are several readers of the POST-DISPATCH who are willing to take the bet off Mr. Seissor's hands if he has any hesitancy in the matter:

WILL BET $5,000 ON IT.

To D. H. I., Esq.:

Since you are so anxious to gratify the gambling propensities of the average St. Louisans, and having no desire to see the blush brought to the cheek of our School Board, but on the contrary prefer to expose your ignorance, I propose to bet you from $50 to $5,000 that 42 is not the correct answer to the egg problem of the POST-DISPATCH. Respectfully,

H. H. J.

A born, bred and educated St. Louisan.
324 Olive street.

WANTS TO MEET MR. SEISSOR.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

If the gentleman who offered to wager $100 to $1 that the answer to the egg problem in your paper is 28, is still willing to back his opinion, I will arrange with him to meet at the office of the POST-DISPATCH, where the stakes can be put up, and the decision of the correctness of the answers left to some professor of mathematics in St. Louis. I claim that if a hen and a half lay an egg and a half in a day and a half, one hen will lay as many eggs in one day as 1½ are contained in 1½, which is 1; if 1 hen lay 1 egg in 1 day, 6 hens will lay 6 times 1 egg, which are 6 eggs; and if 6 hens lay 6 eggs in 1 day, in 7 days they will lay 7 times 6 eggs, which are 42 eggs. Here it is in figures: 1½ = 3-2; 1½ = 3-2 = 3-2 divided by ½ = 1-1 or 1; 1 x 6 = 6: 6 x 7 = 42, the number of eggs laid by 6 hens in 7 days, if a hen and a half lay an egg and a half in a day and a half. Yours,

THOS. J. ODLUM.

515 North Third street.

WILL LEAVE IT TO THREE PROFESSORS.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Please inform "D. H. I." and his colleagues, through your columns, that I am extremely anxious to back, with the cash, my belief that he will not be afforded an opportunity to condemn, publicly or any other purposes, the dollar placed by him in the hands of the POST-DISPATCH.

I want to bet that 42 eggs is not the correct answer to the problem submitted, and that I can give the correct result; the matter to be left to the decision of three reputable professors of mathematics, and no trickery.

W. A. K.

A CARD FROM MR. ROOSTER.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

This morning I was aroused bright and early by long and continued laughter and cackling of my six wives. They were all out in the woodshed reading the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH, and, as they are very intelligent and good wives, they couldn't help reading the hen example which so many gave answer to as 28 eggs. The merriment of my wives was caused by that answer, 28 eggs in 7 days 6 hens will lay. I always knew my wives would do better than that, and one of my wives is exceedingly clever in arithmetic and had the example all solved and was explaining it to the others. She keeps all my books and count of the chickens. She says:

The example means a hen lays an egg in a day; and a half hen lays a half egg in a half day, hence six hens will lay 42 eggs in 7 days. But, if some should read the example so as to mean that a hen lays an egg in a day and a half and a half hen a half egg in same time, that all you have to do is to give the laying power of the one-half hen to the whole hen (since the ratio between 1 and ½ is the same), and that will cause her to lay an egg a day, hence 6 hens will lay 42 eggs in 7 days. Those who have given the answer 28 eggs have not stopped to reason about it before doing it.

They have just wildly plunged away at figures and got all mixed up. They do it precisely as though it read: "If a hen lay an egg in 1½ days, how many eggs will six hens lay in seven days?" which is the wrong way to look at the example, and the consequence is improper and wrong conclusions.

This statement has been read to all the other wives and they say it is right and the way they lay eggs.

Hoping this will be published for the benefit of a doubting and ignorant lot of mathematicians, I remain yours till Thanksgiving do us part.

JOHN A. ROOSTER.

P. S.—Your method of solving the example is correct. My six wives have $600 to bet that you are right.

TWENTY-FOUR EGGS.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I do not agree with either C. Seissor or D. H. I. in their conclusions. In the first place it would be impossible for one-half a hen to lay one-half an egg in a day and a half or any other time, but if it be a simple case of fractions, then if one and one-half hens lay one and one-half eggs in a day and a half, six hens will lay six eggs in one and a half days and six hens will lay twenty-four eggs in six days; therefore if it takes a day and a half for a hen to lay an egg, according to the proposition, there will not be more than twenty-four eggs in the nest at the end of the seventh day unless you include six times two-thirds of an egg, which is not admissible, as eggs are not laid until delivery is completed. Looking at it from an obstetrical point of view, partially laid eggs could not be counted, so there would be twenty-four eggs laid, with four others to hear from in twelve hours after the completion of the seventh day. If you should not count your chickens before they are hatched, neither should you count your eggs until they are laid. An expert, however, might be able to hurry up the hens on the home-stretch. Respectfully,

PAGE AVENUE.

"D. H. I. IS AWAY OFF."

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

The hen and egg problem can be settled if any school-ma'am will work it out by the double rule of three, or cause and effect. D. H. I. is away off. He says that "the problem is a clear statement that one hen lays one egg in one day." But that is not the proposition. Now if one man and a half, working a day and a half, earns $1.50, how much will one man earn in one day? This proposition is evidently the same as the other, and I claim that one man does not earn $1 in one day, because he works one day and a half, and the half man works one day and a half also, and both together get only $1.50 for one and a half days' work; hence the six men in seven days would get but $10. If D. H. I. would like to have the example worked out, we will send it in to him, so he can see how easy it is and how much mistaken he is. C. L. ROBINSON.

P. O. box 30, Lebanon, Ill.

HIS ANSWER IS FOURTEEN EGGS.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Inclosed please find 1 cent as a wager against the (mistaken) Professor's $1 wager in the hen-and-a-half problem. His answer of 42 being so far wrong that he could easily lose all he has upon it, as my solution will prove to the satisfaction of every one excepting himself. If 1½ hens lay 1½ eggs in 1½ days certainly double the amount of hens will lay double the amount of eggs in double the amount of days. Thus: 3 hens lay 3 eggs in 3 days, which is 1 egg for each hen in 3 days, or ½ of an egg a day for each hen. In 7 days 1 hen would lay 7 times ½, which is 7-2; 6 hens would lay 6 plus 7-2, which equals 42-2; 42-2 eggs reduced to whole eggs would be 14 eggs.

This I think fully explains itself. Please collect the Professor's $1 and let it pay for one year's subscription of the WEEKLY POST-DISPATCH and oblige WM. HARDING,
Care D. W. Maranduke, Jefferson City, Mo.

D. H. J. IS WRONG.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Mr. Seissor is correct. D. H. I. is "way off." One hen will lay an egg and a half in a day and a half; it does not require the extra half hen to do the work. The proposition is altogether different—one and a half hens lay one and a half eggs in one and a half days. Now if 1½ hens lay 1½ eggs in 1½ days, 3 hens will lay 3 eggs in 1½ days, and in 3 days 6 hens will lay 6 eggs. In conclusion, 6 hens will lay 12 eggs in 3 days, that is 4 eggs each day, and in 7 days 6 hens will lay 28 eggs.

1½ hens, 1½ eggs, 1½ days.
6 hens will lay 28 eggs in 7 days.

D. H. I.'s answer is to the following proposition:

1 hen lays 1½ eggs in 1½ days.
6 hens will lay 42 eggs in 7 days. F.A.B.

SIX HENS WILL LAY SEVEN EGGS.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

It seems to me that D. H. I. also has some money to lose on the hen and a half. I will simplify matters and say that 2 hens lay 2 eggs in 2 days; now according to D. H. I.'s 2 hens would lay 4 eggs in two days. Now if a hen and a half laid an egg and a half in a day and a half, according to the above don't you think it would take another entire hen and a half hen to lay 2½ eggs in the extra half day? A hen and a half lays an egg and a half in a day and a half; now in the same ratio 6 hens will lay 6 eggs in 6 days; therefore, 3 hens will lay 3 hens to lay 1 egg in 1 day. Consequently 6 hens will lay 7 eggs in 7 days. Yours respectfully,

A. B.

MORE LIGHT ON IT.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I have taken a good deal of interest in the "hen and a half" problem and desire to correct the statement of D. H. I. in your issue of to-day. He starts out by saying the problem is a clear statement that a hen lays one egg in one day and on the same reasoning one half hen lays one-half egg in one-half day." Now, if one-half hen lays one-half egg in one-half day, then one hen would lay one egg in one half day or two eggs in one day. This is self evident and if D. H. I. will think a minute he will see it. Bet five cents that I will be right. The solution of Mr. C. Seissor is undoubtedly correct and he is perfectly safe on his bet of $100 to $1. Yours, etc.,

C. F. M.

1109 Washington avenue.

A YOUNG LADY'S ANSWER.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

The very absurd and would-be sarcastic letter which "D. H. I." writes, in answer to Mr. Seissor on the egg problem, is enough to make the "hen and a half" laugh in her sleeve, or rather her wing. Mr. Seissor is perfectly correct in my estimation. As I have calculated, a hen and a half laying an egg and a half in a day and a half will lay three eggs in three days. Therefore, a hen and a half will lay an egg a day, or seven eggs in seven days, and as there are four one and a half hens in six, multiply that number (four) on seven, and you have twenty-eight. The "Professor" (?) and Mr. D. H. I. will do well to study the simple rules of proportion before they rush into print and make asses of themselves as they have done. F. H. W.

ANY AMOUNT OF MONEY READY.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Government employes are supposed to have passed a civil service examination, but such does not render them infallible. If D. H. I. will review his work, he will find that he is wrong in saying that 42 is the right answer to the hen fruit question. Any amount of money he wishes to wager will be covered on the proposition that 28 is correct. BOOKS.

"SEISSOR HAS MADE 'A GRAND BREAK.'"

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

C. Seissor has made a grand "break" in the egg problem. He says:

1½ hens, 1½ eggs, 1½ days.
6 hens, 28 eggs, 7 days.

Now, where does he get his "28 eggs?" I make it, 1½ hens will lay 1½ eggs in 1½ days, and if 1 hen will lay 1 egg in 1 day, 6 hens will lay in 7 days, 6 times 7 or 42 eggs. Therefore, my answer is, 1½ eggs plus 42 eggs, or 43½ eggs; total, 43½ eggs. Please publish this and oblige

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WILL TAKE $5 WORTH (OF THE EGGS).

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I notice a solution of your "hen-and-a-half" problem given by Mr. C. Seissor. The gentleman offers to back his figures at $100 to $1. As I do not know his address probably you can inform me where he can be found. If not you may put me down for about $5 worth. A. C. CARLISLE.

1116 Vandeventer avenue.

LILLIE'S SOLUTION.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I think I have solved the problem of the eggs as follows: If 1½ hen lays 1½ eggs in 1½ day, then 1 hen can lay 1 egg in 1 day, 6 hens lay 6 eggs in 6 days and 7 hens will lay 42 eggs in 7 days. Yours truly, LILLIE KART.

REGRETS D. H. I.'S IGNORANCE.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

In reply to D. H. I.'s in yesterday's paper will say I regret that such ignorance should be published as coming from St. Louis. I should think it would make not only the School Board but every citizen of St. Louis blush and our teachers sigh, not smile. I congratulate D. H. I. on solving his own problem correctly, also hope Mr. Seissor will find funds enough to take all D. H. I. can furnish. As D. H. I. withheld his name there is still room for us to console our grief with the hope that he is not of St. Louis, but simply some one who is anxious to run down our schools by pretending to show their defects with his ignorance. A. E. C. ELIOT.

A TEXAS ARITHMETICIAN.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I got wrangled about eggs out of the hen-and-a-half puzzle. The puzzle was, how many eggs will six hens lay in seven days if a hen and a half lays an egg and a half in a day and a half? I got twenty-eight eggs in seven days, when they lay an egg and a half in a day and a half.

SAMMIE MOORE,
DODD CITY, TEX.

WANTS THE $1.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Please inclosed find answer to your egg problem. The six hens will lay forty-two eggs in seven days. MINNIE MCCOY.
Maryville, Mo.

P. S. Please remit the $1.

IN FAVOR OF 28.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

If the gentleman who was so positive in his communication to your yesterday edition will look at the hen-and-a-half proposition in the light below, he will perhaps change his mind about the wager. If 1½ hens will lay 1½ eggs in a day and a half, will not double the number of hens lay twice the number of eggs in same? That is 3 hens, two eggs, no change of time; if 3 hens lay 3 eggs in a day and a half, in a day they will lay ½ less, that is 2 eggs. If 3 hens lay 2 eggs in one day, six hens will lay 4, and if 6 hens lay 4 eggs in one day, what becomes of the 42? Answer 28 must be correct. Respectfully, W. E. S—.

FORTY-TWO EGGS.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

1½ hen 1½ egg 1½ day.
3 hens 3 eggs 3 days.
1 hen 1 egg 1 day.
6 hens 42 eggs 7 days.

SIDNEY.

SAYS SEISSOR IS CORRECT.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Hens and eggs: One and a half hens lay 1½ eggs in 1½ days. 1½ hens lay 1 egg in 1 day. 1 hen lays ⅔ of an egg in 1 day, 6 hens lay 4 eggs in 1 day, 6 hens lay 28 eggs in 7 days. "C. Seissor" is correct, the derisive comments of D. H. I. and his figuring to the contrary notwithstanding. I propose that D. H. I. go to school again before he bets so much small change. It makes me weary to see one display such an astonishing amount of ignorance regarding figures while trying to prove others to be wrong. N. J. WERNER.

SAYS MR. SEISSOR HAS WON.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Mr. Seissor has won the dollar solution: If one and a half hens and a half eggs in one and a half days, in fourteen times the time one and a half hens will lay fourteen times the number of eggs; then one and a half hens will lay twenty-eight eggs in fourteen days, or seven eggs in seven days, and four times one and a half hens, or six hens, will lay twenty-eight eggs in seven days. Very respectfully, JOHN C. O'BRIEN.

1621 North Seventeenth street.

SHOWS IT PLAINLY.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Mr. Seissor is right. Six hens will lay 4 times as much as 1½ or 6 eggs in 1½ days, consequently 168 times 6 or 28 eggs in 7 days. This formula shows it plainly: 2=6; 1.5=7; 1.5:42=28. CARL UNGER.

FROM A SMALL BOY.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I will take a guess at the hens, and see if I am right. I bet five cents that I will be right and please put it in the POST-DISPATCH. Now this is my guess. If a hen and a half lay an egg and a half in a day and a half that will be 12 eggs. JOHN F. CARTER.

3643 North Market.

WILL BET EVEN MONEY.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Regarding the hen-and-a-half problem, if your correspondent, D. H. I., feels positive that his solution, as given in your issue of to-day, is the correct one and is willing to back his opinion at even money, let him deposit in your hands any amount he sees fit and it will be covered promptly. C. G. O.

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DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, St. Louis, Mo., May 10, 1888.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, subject to usual conditions, will be received at this office until 11 o'clock a. m., Saturday, June 9, 1888, at which time and place they will be opened in presence of bidders, for furnishing and delivering to the Quartermaster's Department, this city, the fuel, forage and straw required therefor during the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1888. The Government reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Preference given to articles of domestic production, conditions of prices and quality being equal, and such preference given to articles of American production produced on the Pacific coast to the extent of consumption required by the public service there. Blank proposals and full information as to manner of bidding and terms of contract will be furnished on application to this office. Envelopes containing proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for Fuel, Forage and Straw," and addressed to the undersigned, JAS. M. MOORE, Deputy Quartermaster-General, U. S. A.

PROPOSALS FOR PURCHASE OF SUPPLIES.
Office of Assistant Quartermaster, United States Military Prison, Fort Leavenworth, Kan., May 2, 1888. Sealed proposals in triplicate, subject to usual conditions, will be received at this office until 1 o'clock p.m., central time, on Tuesday, June 5, 1888, at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of bidders, for furnishing and delivering at this prison, leather and other materials needed for the manufacture of 34,000 pairs of boots and shoes, 4,000 chairs and 15,000 corn brooms, during the year beginning July 1, 1888.

The Government reserves the right to reject any or all bids or portions of bids. Preference given to articles of domestic production and manufacture, conditions of price and quantity being equal, and such preference given to articles of American production and manufacture produced on the Pacific Coast to the extent of the consumption required by the public service there. Blanks and full information as to bidding, specifications, articles and quantities required, etc., will be furnished by this office.

JAMES W. POPE,
Captain and A. Q. M. U. S. Army.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

SPECIAL NOTICE—Office of Evans Bros. Tobacco & A Warehouse, 6?—We will sell at public auction, for whom it may concern, at 10 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, May 30, 1888, unless previously called for, at our warehouse, Twelfth and Poplar streets, to pay charges, the following described property, to-wit:

1 four-cased railroad switch and signals, stored by Missouri Pacific Railroad, consigned to Western Union Switch & Signal Co.; 19 railroad scrapers, consigned to W. E. Blair; 1 box plate glass, A. Norton & Weider; 1 buckeye feed-mill, Deere, Mansur & Co.; 10 crates wood cases, Mound Cotton Co.; 20 lots household goods, about 50 lots unclaimed freight, 150 pieces baggage, 1 car-load chair timber, brick machine for W. M. Pittaway.

NOTICE—Mr. Chas. E. Gregory is no longer in our employ. Any business transacted by him in our name will not be ratified. The public and our patrons are hereby notified to pay only to Mr. Gregory our order. B. Brockman Livery & Undertaking Co.

GRAND REUNION OF PATTERNMAKERS

Of St. Louis and vicinity. The National Patternmakers' League of N. A., now in convention in St. Louis, will hold a meeting on Thursday night, the 10th, at 8 o'clock, at Pride of the West Hall, Twenty-third and Franklin av. All Patternmakers are cordially invited to be present. Reports of the progress of the League will be presented.

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TRUSTEE'S SALES.

TRUSTEES' SALE.—Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of and pursuant to the terms and conditions of a certain trust deed dated the first (1) day of November, A. D. 1885, made, executed and delivered by the "Mexico, Mo., Water Works Co.," to the undersigned, as trustee, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Audrain County, Mo., in Trust Deed Record Book X, at pages 384, 385, 386, 387 and 388, the undersigned will, on such Trustee, between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 2 o'clock p. m. of MONDAY, THE 9TH DAY OF JULY, A. D., 1888, at the Court-house door in the City of Mexico, Missouri, for default continuing over thirty days in the payment of certain interest coupons secured by said trust deed, the same bearing interest upon sixty bonds, each for $1,000, bearing date the 1st day of said bonds at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and at the request of a majority of the holders of said bonds and coupons, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate and property situated in the County of Audrain and State of Missouri, to-wit:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of section 35, Township 51, range 9 and running south on the section line, 9.47 chains; thence east, parallel to the north line of said tract 15.59 chains; thence south 3.03 chains; thence east, 39.54 chains; thence north 6 degrees west, 12.50 chains, to the north line of said southwest quarter of section 35; thence west on said line 34.20 chains to the point of beginning, containing 38.80 acres. Also all reservoirs, engines, pumps, machinery and fixtures, then, that is to say, at the date of said deed of trust, upon or thereafter to be erected on said lands or any part thereof, together with all pipes, mains or connections belonging to said company used or to be used for distributing water to the City of Mexico and vicinity in said County of Audrain, State of Missouri, and to the inhabitants thereof, and all tools, implements and appliances of every description which may be used by said company in the operation of its waterworks for said city.

Also all and singular the privileges, rights, powers and franchises granted Frank H. Pond and C. S. Masten and their assigns (the said "Mexico, Mo., Water-Works Co." being such assign) in and by virtue of an ordinance of the Council of said city of Mexico, entitled, "An ordinance in relation to the establishment, construction and maintenance of Water-works in the City of Mexico, Missouri," approved July 18, 1885, and all the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging, for the purposes mentioned in said deed of trust.

ILLINOIS TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK,
Trustee,
By J. J. MITCHELL, President.

TRUSTEE'S SALE—Whereas, Augustus Seymour and Adel, his wife, by their certain deed of trust, dated November 4, 1885, and recorded in the Recorder's office of the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, in Book 777, page 22, conveyed to the undersigned the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis, Mo., to-wit: Lot number twenty-two (22) in block 2 of Darby's addition and its city subdivision, containing a front of twenty-five feet (25 feet) on the north line of Hickory (formerly Guilford) street by a depth northwardly of one hundred and twenty-seven feet and six inches (127 feet 6 inches) to south line of lot No. 5 of said block, bounded south by Hickory street, north by lot 5, east by lot 21 and west by lot 23 of said block; and addition, being the same lot acquired by said Augustus Seymour from Dennis Masterson and wife by deed dated August 15, 1865, and recorded in Book 306, page 253, of the City of St. Louis, Recorder's office, which said conveyances to the undersigned was made in trust to secure the payment of certain notes in said deed of trust described; and whereas default has been made in the payment of the principal note; now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, and in pursuance of the conditions in said deed of trust the undersigned will on

THURSDAY, MAY 10TH, 1888,

between the hours or 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the east front door of the Courthouse in the city of St. Louis, Mo., sell the above described real estate at public vendue to the highest bidder, for cash, for the purposes of satisfying said notes and the costs of executing this trust.

AUGUST GEHNER, Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas, William P. Buckmaster by his certain deed of trust, dated March 24, 1886, and recorded in the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, in book 780, page 272, conveyed to the undersigned the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis, Missouri; to-wit:

A lot in block 5, subdivision sec. 16, city block 1055, beginning at the junction of the west line of lot seven with the north line of Lindell avenue, 401 feet 1⅛ inches west of Ware avenue; thence north along the west line of said lot number seven 96 feet and 10⅝ inches to an alley, and being the northwest corner of said lot number seven; thence east along the south line of said alley 12 feet, more or less, to a point 371 feet and six inches west of the west line of Ware avenue; thence south 93 feet and 5 inches to the north line of Lindell avenue to a point 369 feet and 2 inches west of the west line of Ware avenue; thence westwardly along the north line of Lindell avenue 31 feet and 1⅛ inches to the place of beginning; bounded north by an alley, east by Alexander, south by Lindell avenue and west by Switzer, which said conveyance to the undersigned was made in trust to secure the payment of certain notes in said deed of trust described; and whereas default has been made in the payment of the last interest note and the